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HERE'S TO THE SHAMROCK III.---MAY THE BETTER BOAT WIN

SIR THOMAS A TRUE SPORT
Still Possesses Confidence in His Splendid Yacht to Win.

Thursday's Test Did Not Discourage Him—Shamrock Built for the Breeze.

The present series of international yachting races for the America's cup is the thirteenth in its history. Sir Thomas Lipton's challenger, Shamrock III, and the American defender, Reliance, are the competing boats. On Thursday last the first race was attempted, but there was little wind and it was impossible to finish within the time limit. When the race was called Reliance was about two miles ahead in the drifting contest.

NOT DISCOURAGED.
New York, August 21.—Sir Thomas Lipton, his captain and the crews of his fleet at Sandy Hook were by no means disheartened to-day. Sir Thomas was as optimistic as usual and cheerfully explained that yesterday's race was not conclusive, while Capt. Wrinse of Shamrock III. was as good-natured and hopeful as ever. All appeared to believe that there would be a different story to tell if the next race were sailed in a racing wind. It was pointed out by an officer of the Erin to-day that Shamrock III. had never been exceedingly fast in drifting. The only race in which Shamrock III. ever lost her was sailed in little better than a calm, and in many cases under similar conditions, Shamrock III. had been unable to drop her pace-maker until the wind increased to five knots or better, after which she showed a remarkable increase in speed. To-morrow the friends of Shamrock III. were hoping for a wind that will enable the boats to sail the race an hour within the time limit.

Sir Thomas passed the day in entertaining the Earl and Countess of Shaftesbury, Col. and Mrs. Sherman Crawford and Adj.-Gen. and Mrs. Corbin by the invitation of Gen. Corbin the whole party visited the Sandy Hook proving grounds and witnessed a test of the big guns.

ON A PLEASURE TRIP.
Date in the day the party boarded the Erin's launch and started for a trip up the beautiful Shawsbury river. After the Shamrock and Reliance had had their little spin about the bay

Capt. Wrinse and Capt. Bavis of Shamrock I. spent the day amusing themselves. The two captains were invited on board a yawl which was sailing about the bay, and Capt. Wrinse was placed in command, while Capt. Bavis, whose face is tanned as brown as leather, sought shelter from the sun under an umbrella and a big Panama hat. The captains spent most of the afternoon cruising about in the vicinity of the yachts.

On board the challenger there were few signs of activity. Her crew were taking a rest, but on board the Reliance her men were busy stretching out the head of the mainsail along the gaff and overhauling her spars and sails.

ROME IS INTERESTED.
Rome, Aug. 21.—The result of the first race for the America's cup was awaited here with great interest. It only became known to-day because of the difference in time and the calling off was a disappointment, as considerable wagers had been made on the race in sporting circles. The Duke of Abruzzi, who is considered Italy's first yachtsman, particularly followed the race closely, receiving telegrams direct from New York.

JAPAN AFTER THE CUP.
Toronto, Ont., Aug. 21.—An Evening Telegram special from New York says: Japan is the latest aspirant for America's cup. Honors Lieut.-Com. Iam Takeshira, of the Imperial Japanese navy has announced that he will use all his influence to have a yacht in the field to compete at the next international races. He said to-day: "We can build just as fine boats as either America or England and you may be sure that at the next international yacht races you will see the flag of Japan flying on the winner."

LIPTON CONFIDENT.
New York, Aug. 21.—To-day the Reliance lay at her moorings in Sandy Hook Bay. The wind was blowing from the north-west, and hardly a cloud could be seen. Early in the day the crew raised her mainsail and club-topsail to dry them after the

"AMERICA" CUP RACES.

WHERE	WHEN	COMPETING YACHTS		WINNER
		AMERICAN	BRITISH	
Isle of Wight.....	August, 1851....	America.....	Aurora and fleet.....	America....
N. Y. Yacht Club Course	August, 1870....	Magic.....	Cambria.....	Magic.....
" " " " "	October, 1871....	Columbia.....	Livonia.....	Columbia..
" " " " "	August, 1876....	Madaline....	Countess of Dufferin..	Madaline..
" " " " "	November, 1881..	Mischief....	Atlanta.....	Mischief..
" " " " "	September, 1885.	Puritan.....	Genesta.....	Puritan....
" " " " "	" " " " " 1886..	Mayflower... Galatea.....	Mayflower..	Mayflower.
" " " " "	" " " " " 1887..	Volunteer... Thistle.....	Volunteer..	Thistle....
" " " " "	October, 1893... Vigilant....	Valkyrie II... Vigilant....	Vigilant....	Vigilant....
" " " " "	September, 1895.	Defender....	Valkyrie III..	Defender..
" " " " "	October, 1899... Columbia....	Shamrock I....	Columbia....	Columbia..
" " " " "	Sept. & Oct. 1901	Columbia....	Shamrock II... Columbia..	Columbia..
" " " " "	August, 1903....	Reliance.....	Shamrock III... ?	?

wetting they got in yesterday's show-ers, and they were otherwise busy in making ready for to-morrow. Her headsails were up in stops. Five hundred yards astern of the Reliance the Shamrock III. lay with her green moorings. Her crew were likewise preparing for to-morrow's race. Near her were anchored the steam yacht Erin and the rest of the fleet. Numerous steam yachts and sailing craft of various classes were anchored or sailing about the fleet. At 10.42 the Reliance cast loose from her moorings, set her jib and staysail, and stood out into the Bay for a sail. Shortly afterwards Shamrock III. hoisted her mainsail with the apparent intention of going out for a sail-stretching.

Forecaster Emery at the weather bureau to-day sent out a special forecast for the vicinity of the yacht race course for to-morrow. He prophesied a good southerly breeze and clear skies. The weather Saturday over the international race course will be fair to partly cloudy, with fresh southerly winds, probably shifting to south-westerly.

fast to their moorings with all sail down. Sir Thomas Lipton said to-day: "I have not lost hope in the slightest. The conditions yesterday were the worst I have ever seen off Sandy Hook. I have been here now since June, and we never had anything so bad. It was purely a matter of luck. The Reliance was getting all the wind she wanted to foot away from us with, while the Shamrock was lying without a breeze. Whenever we did get a breeze we lost no time in making up the Reliance's gain. As a matter of fact, the Shamrock came about to come home, seeing it was hopeless to continue when she was getting no wind. The Reliance's sails were full when our sails were lying limp. The Shamrock, while the wind lasted, did better work yesterday than the Reliance. Others may say what they like on this matter, but this is my positive belief."

Both Capt. Barr, of Reliance, and Capt. Wrinse, of Shamrock III., were jubilant. Capt. Barr said: "If this blow continues, and it looks like it, we'll have a great race in good time," and Capt. Wrinse said: "This is Shamrock's weather. We can do it in this."

SHAMROCK TO BE REMEASURED.
Shamrock III. will be remeasured in Erie basin Monday morning in the presence of a representative of Reliance. Lewis Cass Letyard, chairman of the racing committee of the New York Yacht Club, has notified

the Royal Ulster Yacht squadron, to that effect. This action is necessitated by the fact that Shamrock III. when measured previously, did not have the anchor and cable on board before starting, owing to an oversight, and which is required by the rules. Under the circumstances, Shamrock's race to-day will be subject to the new measurement to be taken Monday. The vessel on such measurement is to be exactly in the same trim as when sailing to-day.

Reliance started up her mainsail at 8.30 and five minutes to 9 took a line from her tender and with jib and staysail in stops and mainsail set left the Hook for the start. Shamrock followed her a few minutes later. She did not take a line from the cruiser, but broke out her jib and staysail and with her mainsail set sailed out of the harbor, a very pretty sight.

After Reliance had rounded the Hook she set her club topsail. Reliance clung to her tender until 9.30 when she dropped the tow and started down the coast.

YANKEES WIN FIRST RACE

Reliance Crossed Line Five Minutes to the Good of Shamrock

Special to The Planet.
By Marconi Wireless Telegraph New York, 9.58 a. m.—Shamrock III. reached the lights under a Reliance again in tow about half an hour out to starting line. Wind was southwest blowing about 12 knots. New York, 10.12 a. m.—Reliance II. arrived at lights. Both boats having set sails. Excursion boats arriving.
New York, Aug. 22.—At 10 o'clock a. m. the wind at Sandy Hook according to the weather bureau gauge was blowing 10 knots an hour and increasing.

New York, 10.35 a. m.—The regatta committee's tug has hoisted a signal and is steaming away to the east-south-east, which seems to indicate that the start of the race will be two or three miles to the eastward of the lights, and that the boats will be sent to a windward and leeward race, with another beat down the Jersey shores.

The following bulletins are from the special wire of J. B. Proctor, the enterprising King's street stock and commission broker. Planet readers will appreciate Mr. Proctor's courtesy in supplying them:
9.30—Weather very favorable to yacht race. The wind is now 18 knots with a possible 20.
10.45—Yachts have left their moorings.
11.47—Yachts are yawking at the start.
11.50—Yachts are back for a new start.
12.03—Shamrock III. has the five lengths ahead.
12 noon—Shamrock opens a big lead.
12.15—Shamrock leads with Reliance making up.
12.25—Both boats yawking even.
12.31—Reliance is now in the lead and is gaining.
2.00—Reliance is a mile ahead. New York, 3.40—Reliance leads by a mile and a half. The boats have five miles yet to go. The Reliance crossed the line at 3.12.
The Reliance turned the outer buoy 2 minutes and 40 seconds ahead of the Shamrock.
3.30—The Reliance has by 10 minutes.

TO-DAY'S DESPATCHES.

At Sandy Hook bay all was activity and bustle on board the racing craft

CHURCH TIMES

HOOD'S SERVICE

Christ Church 11 a.m.; 7 p.m. First Presbyterian 11 and 7. Holy Trinity 11 and 7. St. Andrew 11 and 7. St. Joseph 8.30, 10.30, 7.30. Victoria Methodist 11 and 7. Williams 11 and 7. Park St. 11 and 7. Seventh Adventists 3 and 7. Letter 11 and 7. Campbell 11 and 7.30. First Baptist 11 and 7. St. John M. P. 11 and 7. British 11 and 7.30.

Pastors and members of the various churches will confer a favorable view of the proposed changes in the constitution of the church...

Internal Bible Lesson for Tomorrow and Jonathan (Godly Friend) Sam. 20: 12-23.

Golden Rule - There is a friend that is closer than a brother.

A crisis arrived, and Jonathan deems it wise to renew a covenant with David and these two godly soldiers...

The regular weekly prayer service will be held at St. Andrew's church on Wednesday evening at 8.

Prayer meeting in the British Methodist Church on Wednesday evening at 7.30.

Sunday evening prayer meeting in the William St. Baptist Church is conducted by the B. Y. P. U. at 6.30.

The Victoria Ave. Epworth League meets on Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

The Sunday School of Victoria Ave. Methodist Church is held every Sunday at 10 a.m.

All are cordially invited to Sunday and week night services in Victoria Ave. Methodist Church.

CHURCH NOTES

The pastor, Rev. Robt. McCosh, will conduct the services and preach in Christ Church to-morrow - 11th Sunday after Trinity.

The pastor, Rev. W. Knowles, will occupy the pulpit of the First Presbyterian Church on both occasions to-morrow.

Rev. T. T. Shields will occupy the pulpit of the William St. Baptist Church on both occasions to-morrow.

The Park St. Methodist congregation will worship in the Grand Opera House to-morrow, and each Sunday until the improvements in their church are completed.

The pastor, Rev. F. E. Malott, B. A., B. D., will preach at both services in Victoria Ave. Methodist Church to-morrow morning theme, "A High Calling and a Glorious Destiny"; and each Sunday.

Rev. W. A. Wheeler, of Colchester, will preach Holy Trinity Church to-morrow both services.

Both days in Park St. Methodist Church to-morrow will be conducted by E. F. Armstrong, B. A., Salvation Army, Union Depot - Knee drill at 11 a. m., Christian fellowship at 1 p. m., soul winning services at 7 p. m. All services for citizens soldiers.

Elder John Leverton, of Colchester, will preach in the Chatham District, preach here to-morrow. Services the Latter Day Saints Auditorium St. West, to-morrow at 7 p. m., Sunday school at 2 p. m., meeting at 3 p. m., preaching at 7 p. m. Relegio Society every Friday at 8 p. m. All welcome.

Services will be held in the St. John's A. F. Church to-morrow as follows: a. m., Scripture lesson and prayer by the pastor, Rev. A. B. Selvey, which a Rising Class; Sunday at 3 p. m.; 7 p. m., song and prayer meeting by the Synagogue, and preaching by the pastor.

Services will be held in the British Methodist Church, Princess St., to-morrow a. m. and 7.30 p. m.

The service in the First Baptist Church will be conducted by the pastor, Rev. J. A. Holt. The Park St. Class will meet at 8 o'clock, body of the church. A splendid service in attendance each Sunday.

Prayer will be held in the William St. Baptist Church on Wednesday at 8 o'clock.

Class in connection with the A. F. Church is held every Tuesday.

Liver and Kidneys

It is highly important that these organs should properly perform their functions. When they don't, what lameness of the side and back, what yellowness of the skin, what constipation, bad taste in the mouth, sick headache, pimples and blotches, and loss of courage, tell the story.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Gives these organs vigor and tone for the proper performance of their functions, and cures all their ordinary ailments. Take it.

William St. Baptist Church Sunday morning prayer meeting at 10 o'clock.

First Presbyterian Church Sunday School to-morrow afternoon at three o'clock.

Prayer meeting is held every Wednesday evening in the S. S. Hall of Victoria Ave. Methodist Church.

The meetings of Park St. Epworth League, Junior League, Young Men's League, and Epworth League are held during July and August.

St. Andrew's Church Sunday School and Bible Class to-morrow afternoon at three o'clock.

Sunday School in connection with the British Methodist Church will assemble to-morrow at 3 p. m.

Christ Church Sunday School will be held in the morning, instead of the afternoon, during July and August.

Teachers and scholars will meet to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

The B. Y. P. U. meets in the lecture room of the Baptist Church every Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

Strangers are cordially invited to all the services in Christ Church. Sidesmen will be pleased to provide them with seats. Pews are all free at evening service.

Young Men's Class is held in Victoria Ave. Methodist Church every Sunday morning at 10 o'clock.

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The popular view of the relation of the blood to human character and conduct is marked in many a familiar expression. We speak of there being "bad blood" between people at enmity, of "blue blood" as indicating ancestry, of "black blood" as describing a treacherous nature, and in many other phrases mark our belief that in the mental, moral and physical man, "the blood is the life."

FALL FAIRS

- Following is a partial list of dates of fall fairs. Secretaries of agricultural societies will kindly forward dates of those omitted: London.....Sept. 11-19 Guelph.....Sept. 15-17 Hamilton.....Sept. 15-17 Toronto.....Aug. 27-Sept. 12 Petrolia.....Sept. 22-23 Essex.....Sept. 30-Oct. 1 Wallaceburg.....Oct. 2 Florence.....Oct. 3 Rodney.....Oct. 7 Wallaceburg.....Oct. 8 Blenheim.....Oct. 9 Highgate.....Sept. 22-23-24 Chatham.....Oct. 6-8 Alvinston.....Oct. 8 Aylmer.....Sept. 10-11 Sarnia.....Oct. 2 Thamesville.....Oct. 5-6

BEWARE OF OINTMENTS FOR CARRH THAT CONTAIN MERCURY.

As mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is tenfold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by Druggists. Price, 75c. per bottle. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

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Local Briefs

Bicycles for hire at Brisco's. Chas. Bell, of Merlin, was in the city on Thursday.

J. T. Teesham, of Florence, was in the city on Thursday.

Geo. Jasperon, of Kingsville, was a city visitor yesterday.

Wanted, two millinery apprentices, apply Wm Foreman & Co. of Mr. and Mrs. Caleb Johnson have gone to the Northwest.

C. H. Lister, of the creamery, is unloading a car of coal.

Dr. J. B. Murrich, of Bothwell, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

W. C. White, of Blenheim, spent Thursday with his Chatham friends.

J. A. Gibson, of Petrolia, was registered at the Rankin House yesterday.

Wm. Egan, of Dawn Mills, was a guest at the Rankin House on Thursday.

Miss Gertrude Ansie, of Tilbury, is the guest of Miss Mac Taylor, Park Street.

F. C. Jones and Tom Roden, of Buckhorn, were Chatham visitors on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Gordon, of Wallaceburg, were guests in the city on Thursday.

Rev. Mr. McClintock will preach to the Methodists in the Opera House on Sunday.

Trainsmaster K. R. Cameron of the Lake Erie was in the city yesterday on business.

The new C. P. R. freight offices here are being occupied for the first time to-day.

The work on the Park Street Methodist church improvements is progressing rapidly.

C. E. Lister, of the Maple City Creamery, is in Windsor and Detroit to-day on business.

Miss Etta Kenney, Park Street, returned yesterday after spending the past week in Detroit.

Roy Grover and Thos. Brown, of Gray & Sons factory, have gone to the Canadian Northwest.

Mrs. C. B. Lewis and children, of Windsor, are the guests of Mrs. W. M. Draper, Dufferin Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Marshall, who have been visiting in the city, have returned to their home in Guelph.

Marie J. Forster, John B. Forster and Mrs. Forster, of Dayton, Ohio, were guests in the city yesterday.

A. M. E. Thomson, of Merlin, and George Thompson, of Goderich, were visitors in the city on Thursday.

R. A. Hughes, of Windsor, inspector of weights and measures, was in the city Thursday on business.

The "civic pay sheets for the past week totaled \$57,701, made up as follows: Board of Works \$251,03, and \$306.98.

Don't forget the Catholic Order of Foresters annual excursion to Marine City on the steamer City of Oshawa Tuesday, August 25th.

Misses Della and Anna Dale, of Windsor, formerly of this city, are the guests of Miss Tilly Thompson, Church Street.

Chief Engineer Owen McKay and Roadmaster Morris, of the Lake Erie, Walkerville, were in the city yesterday on business.

Mrs. John Abram and son John and Mrs. Robert Park and family spent yesterday with Mrs. Robert Abram, Shagaminie Cottage.

Word has been received of the serious illness of Miss Queenie Taylor, daughter of Ald. Geo. G. Taylor. Miss Taylor is visiting in Sarnia.

Harry Wemp has gone to Toledo to accept a position. Harry was telegraph messenger with W. H. Harper and a right smart lad he is, too.

Dr. J. W. Rutherford was called to Highgate Thursday evening in consultation with Dr. Davey, of Duart, on a serious case.

Lost - Lost from King Street West a thoroughbred Black Cocker Spaniel, one year old, named Flossie. Finder will be suitably rewarded by returning to C. Austin & Co.

William Conolly, better known as "Mickey," has accepted a position in the Manson Canteen, Victoria.

Conolly is a former Chathamite, but has been working lately in Detroit. He has joined the ex-Regimental Band.

W. H. Benson, High Court Senior Bench of the Ancient Order of Foresters, will leave Monday to attend the meeting of the High Court at Peterborough. Ed. Wanless will accompany Mr. Benson. He will represent Court House, A. O. F.

A gang of men and seven teams arrived in the city last evening on the C. P. R. and started work yesterday morning grading the siding at the "C" for the new hog and cattle pens which are to be built there, and moved from the present location back of the Hadley Co's yards. The car for the men arrived yesterday morning and the work will be rushed to completion.

No petition was put in against the initiative for the extension of the vitrified brick pavement on William Street from Wade Street. No protest was filed within the time limit and this pavement will be relaid this week. Tenders for the work will be received by the Council on Monday night. The completion of the William Street pavement will be a great advantage.

The Master Mechanic's Pure Tar Soap heals and softens the skin, while promptly cleansing it of grease, oil, rust, etc. Invaluable to mechanics, farmers, sportsmen. Free sample on receipt of 2c. for postage. Albert Toilet Soap Co. Mfrs., Montreal. If

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DISTRICT DOINGS, TILBURY

August 21 - Miss Knickerbocker, of Carson City, Mich., was the guest of her friend, Miss Carrie Scriven, a few days this week.

Detroit Tigarettes play baseball here to-day.

Mrs. Scott and Miss Addeeman, of Detroit, are the guests of Mrs. W. J. Moffat, Willow Beach.

Rev. E. S. Eshon, of Persia, will occupy the pulpit of the Presbyterian church here next Sunday morning.

Mrs. Palmer has been visiting Mrs. Reynolds of Wheatley.

Misses Carrie and Lulu Scriven and Miss Mildred Shirle left last night to visit friends in Amberhurst.

Mrs. (Dr.) Sharp and daughter Helen are the guests of Mrs. W. A. Johnson at Wigwag Lodge.

Rev. E. G. Thompson has added another improvement to his store in the shape of an electric fan.

Mrs. J. G. McPherson, of Walkerville, has been visiting relatives and friends in town and vicinity.

Mr. John Ward has bought Mr. John McCorvie's house on the corner of Sheldrick and Talbot streets.

Invitations are out for the wedding of Mr. Harry E. Ridley and Miss Otley Irene McGregor on 28th inst.

Elder R. B. Howlett, London, will preach in the Latter Day Saints church on August 28th. The public are cordially invited to be present.

Miss Ethel and Cora Titus, of Im-lay City, Mich., and Miss Ruby O'Brien, of Port Hope, are the guests of Miss Gertrude Johnson, McGregor Street.

New wheat is being brought into the mill very fast now, price ranging from 70 to 73 cents per bushel.

Mr. O. W. Lake, buyer for the Toronto Feather Co., is registered at the Sheldon House.

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Robinson and Mrs. Harris leave very soon for London, where they intend to reside.

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Harrison, of Kintyre, have been visiting friends in this vicinity this week.

Born August 16th, to Mr. and Mrs. A. Moore, a daughter.

Mrs. E. J. Waterford, of Wheatley, is visiting relatives in town.

An excursion is to take place to Niagara Falls on August 25th under the auspices of the Presbyterian and Methodist churches of Leamington on the L. E. & D. R. and Washah.

The fare from here will be \$2.85, good to remain for three days, or can return the same day.

The Northway Co., Ltd. The Busy Cash Store The Northway Co., Ltd. Saturday Bargains

50 pcs. Shaker Flannel, fine heavy quality, extra wide width in splendid range of patterns, fast colors, Saturday per yd, 7c.

Wash Goods - All our Muslins, Dimities, Linen Suitings, Canvas Suitings, Oxfords, Mercerized Voiles, Fanny Zephyrs, etc., beautiful designs and colorings, reg. 20c, 25c, 30c and 35c yd, Saturday price, 15c.

25c Muslins at 7c - About 300 yds. Dress Muslins, Dimities, Lawns, Swisses, etc., in color patterns and colorings, reg. 12c to 25c yd, Saturday price 7c.

2500 Yards Good Heavy Shaker Flannel, 29 in. wide, in splendid range of patterns, fast colors, Saturday per yd, 6c.

24c Gingham - 400 Yards Fancy Check Stripe and Plain Gingham and Zephyrs, in pretty plues, blues, etc., fast color, reg. 10c and 12c yd, Saturday price 7c.

1500 Yards New Wrapperees, fine heavy cloth, fleeced back, wide width, in range of beautiful patterns and colorings for waist, wrapper or sacque, fast dyes, Saturday per yd, 7c.

800 Yards Bleached Cotton, extra fine heavy quality full yard wide, even weave, a special cotton at 10c yd, Saturday price 8c.

Embroideries - 400 Yards Fine Swiss Embroidery and Insertions, 14 in. to 3 in. wide, in pretty patterns, reg. 6c, 8c and 10c yd, Saturday price 4c.

Another Ribbon Bargain - 300 Yards Plain and Fancy Ribbons, 4 in. to 7 in. wide, rich pure silk and Satin, in every wanted shade, reg. value up to 50c yd, Saturday price 15c.

75c. Taffeta Silks at 49c. Yard, 21 in. to 23 in. wide, rich heavy pure French Taffeta Silk, about 500 yards, colors Black, Sky, Navy, Champagne, Hello, light, mid and dark Brown, Cardinal, Blue and Purple, excellent value, reg. at 75c a yard, Saturday price 49c.

New Dress Goods - 2000 Yards New Suitings, plain cloths and fancy mixtures, medium and heavy weight, 42 in. and 44 in. wide, in every fashionable shade for fall wear, Saturday per yd, 25c.

75c Flaked Suitings at 50c. Yard - About 450 yards beautiful flaked suitings, fine wool, in colors Navy, Brown, Green, Myrtle and Black, 44 in. wide, reg. 75c a yd, Saturday price 50c.

New Dress Materials in all the fashionable weaves and colorings, for Fall wear, the choicest values at per yd. 50c, 75c, \$1, \$1.25 and \$1.40.

Pean De Soie Dress Silks - 2 special lines, rich black pure reversible silk, guaranteed in wear, full width, best weaves and finish, mid and heavy weight, special per yard, 75c and \$1.

Millinery - Beautiful trimmed hats, regular price up to \$7.00 each, Saturday price \$2.99.

Children's Straw Sailors - Also white muslin hats and bonnets, clearing Saturday at half price.

3 doz. Fancy Outing Hats, were up to \$2.75 each, Saturday price 79c.

Ladies' Waists - Were 50c and 75c Saturday price 39c.

Ladies' White and Colored Waists - Prettily trimmed, were 75c to \$1.00 each, Saturday price 49c.

\$1.00 Wrappers at 69c - 3 doz. dark print wrappers, good quality, well made, lined waists, were 89c and \$1 each, Saturday price 69c.

Men's Fine Straw Hats - All this season's best styles, clearing Saturday at half price.

75c Overall at 49c - 6 doz. men's heavy duck and cottoned overalls, good range of patterns and sizes, reg. 60c to 75c a pair, Saturday price 49c.

Men's Suits - 26 only men's fine all-wool tweed suits, choice patterns, extra well made, sizes 35 to 42 in., reg. \$6.50, 7.50 and \$8.50 a suit, Saturday price 5.90.

34 doz Men's Suits - Fine tweeds and serges, reg. \$8.50, 9.00 and 10.00 a suit, Saturday price \$7.45.

Boys' 1.00 and 1.10 Wash Suits, Saturday price 48c.

Boys' 75c and 90c Wash Suits, Saturday price 48c.

Boys' 50c and 60c Blouses, fast colors, Saturday price 39c.

Boys' 40c Print Blouses, Saturday price 25 cents.

Strictly Cash THE NORTHWAY COMPANY, Limited. One Lowest Price.

A wedding of great interest to many here took place yesterday at the residence of the bride's mother, at Thames Street, Chatham. The Rev. W. E. Knowles united in marriage Miss Maude Samson and Mr. George H. Cornish. B. A. They will make their future home at Lindsay, Ont., where Mr. Cornish teaches in the High School.

Mrs. Devlin has sold her property on Sheldrick Street to Wm. Grant.

MUSKOKA'S POPULARITY.

The following voluntary testimonial of the Muskoka region and Royal Muskoka Hotel was received at the Grand Trunk General Offices recently from one of the most prominent doctors in New York City, who was sojourning for a few weeks in that district.

"I take pleasure in recommending the 'Muskoka' region as a health resort of the first class. Its altitude, purity of atmosphere, conditions, and water supply free from infection, make it particularly beneficial."

"The Royal Muskoka Hotel, a hotel perfect in all its appointments, adds materially to the comfort of the tourist."

The thousands of people who are now enjoying the summer months in the "Highlands of Ontario" are profiting by their promises of that part of the country, a summer resort, and consider it the finest on the continent."

Advertisement for Creditors

Notice is hereby given that "The Chatham Binder Twine Company, Limited" has, by a special resolution passed by the Shareholders of the said Company on the 3rd day of June, A. D. 1903, resolved to place the Company in liquidation and by another special resolution passed by the Shareholders of the said Company on the 25th day of June, A. D. 1903, resolved that Arthur Leverton and J. J. Ross be the liquidators of the Company.

The Company has acted and will act upon the said resolution on the 22nd day of August next.

All creditors of the Company are hereby required to file their claims against the Company forthwith, whether or not such claims are now due. And all creditors of the said Chatham Binder Twine Company, Limited, are, on or before the twenty-second day of August, A. D. 1903, to send by post prepaid to J. J. Ross, one of the above named liquidators, Chatham, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their securities and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them. And notice is further given that the liquidators shall after the said 22nd day of August, A. D. 1903, be at liberty to distribute the assets of the Company or any part thereof among the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claim of which the liquidators have then notice; and the liquidators shall not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any persons of whose claim such liquidators has not notice at the time of distributing the said assets or any part thereof, as the case may be. And in default of notice as above mentioned creditors will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of such liquidators and of the distribution under such proceedings.

Dated at Chatham the 28th day of July, A. D. 1903.

J. B. RANKIN, Solicitor for Liquidators, as, 15, 22, Chatham, Ont.

SAND and GRAVEL

Having the tug "Vick" and a san scow, I am prepared to enter into contracts for the supply of sand and gravel at lowest prices. Apply to

Capt. V. Robinson.

SANTAL-MIDY

Standard remedy for Gonorrhoea and Gleet. In 48 HOURS. Cures Gleet, Gonorrhoea and Bladder Troubles.

Minard's Lintment Cures Diphtheria.

SLAUGHTER BICYCLES. Massey-Harris Cushion Frame \$65.00, Roadster 60.00, Imperial Roadster 45.00, Childs - 6 to 10 years of age 28.00. Others in proportion. We must make room for our Big Store Display in Sept. LAWNS MOWERS. \$4.25, 5.25, 7.00, 10.00. This store closes at 7 p.m. except Saturday, after Aug. 24. GEO. STEPHENS & CO. CHATHAM.

Money to Loan on Mortgages at 4 and 5 per Cent.

FOR SALE - FARM AND CITY PROPERTY.

Brick house, two stories, 7 rooms, lot 40 feet front by 208 feet deep, \$1100.00.

CAN MAKE MEN SOUND AND STRONG

Specialist Discovers Something Entirely New For the Cure of Men's Diseases in Their Own Homes. YOU PAY ONLY IF CURED. Expect No Money Unless He Cures You. Method and Full Particulars Sent Free. Write for it This Very Day.



DR. S. GOLDBERG. The possessor of 14 diplomas and certificates who wants no money that he does not earn.

says Dr. Goldberg, the discoverer, will send the method entirely free to all men who send him their names and address. He wants to hear from men who have stricture that they have been unable to get cured, prostatic trouble, sexual weakness, varicocele, lost manhood, blood poison, hydrocele, emaciation of parts, impotency, etc. His wonderful method not only cures the condition itself, but likewise all the complications, such as rheumatism, bladder or kidney trouble, heart disease, etc.

This is something entirely new and well worth knowing more about. Write at once.

PARBOTT & ROTHWELL. Office King Street, Opp. Market Chatham.

Wood's Phosphodine. The Great English Remedy. It is a well established preparation. Has been prescribed and used over 40 years. All drugs in the Dominion of Canada sell and recommend it as the only medicine that gives universal satisfaction.

The Chatham Loan and Savings' Co. CAPITAL, \$1,000,000. INCORPORATED - A. D. 1887. Money to Lend on Mortgages. Apply personally and secure best rates, and low expenses.

HOSPITAL FOR WOMEN PRIVATE, SECLUDED. ALL CASES ACCEPTED. CALL OR WRITE M Bryson, 132 York St. Buffalo. Try the PLANET Office for Wedding Stationery.

DISTRICT DOINGS

GLENWOOD. Miss Alice Estabrook returned on Sunday to reopen her school near Tilbury. Quite a number from here attended the employees' excursion to Erieau on Friday last.

APPLEDORE. Grain cutting will soon be over in these parts. Some of our boys have joined the baseball team at Turnerville. J. V. Shaw lost a fine mare, which he valued at \$150, on Tuesday.

HUFFMAN'S CORNERS. Fine weather and a busy harvest are the order of the day. Quarterly services were very successful. A dozen persons were added to the church.

MORPETH. Miss Hazel Wilkinson is spending a fortnight with relatives in London. Mrs. Robert Stevenson, of Ridgeway, was the guest of the Misses Smith last week.

WABASH. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Tiffin and family, of Dresden, spent Sunday visiting relatives here. School has re-opened here again for the term.

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Keep Minard's Liniment in the House. MEN AND WOMEN. The Run of unnatural discharges, inflammations, etc., of the urinary tract, is not a trivial matter.

BEAR LINE. Harvest weather! James Hardick is on the sick list. Mrs. E. Crouch is visiting at T. Gilmore's. Geo. Taylor is improving from an attack of typhoid fever.

TURNERVILLE. Christopher Buckingham is all smiles these days. It is a boy this time. Mr. Haggerty and family, of Detroit, are visiting Mr. James Gilbert.

RALEIGH. Miss Annie Regley, the lady principal of Separate School Section, No. 5, Raleigh, has established a splendid record for her school.

JEANNETTE'S CREEK. Mr. Cowley, of Tilbury, has been beautifying the lawn in this vicinity during the week by clipping the evergreens.

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REAL ENJOYMENT.

The woman who reads this will understand to the full what Mrs. Tipton meant when she says: "I am enjoying good health." It takes a person who has been wretched by sickness to understand the joy of health.

There are very many women who suffer as did Mrs. Tipton, who might be cured as she was by the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are a ladies' laxative. No other medicine equals them for gentleness and thoroughness.

McKAY'S CORNERS. John Elwood, two miles south of the village, lost a valuable cow a few days ago.

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Looking out for the happiness of mankind. Health is the spring of human happiness—the source of all our joys.

Ab's Salt. nature's own attractant from the juices of ripe fruits, and a valuable laxative, diuretic, refrigerant, tonic properties from nature's laboratory.

Safesther Aperient. It gives tranquil and easy action—cools the blood—cleans—the sweetens the breath—stimulates the bowels, and acts as a bracing tonic to the whole system.

Try it to-morrow. At 25c. and 60c.

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Kent's Flour. Is peer of all. Kent Flour always has been, and will be the GREATEST SELLER of any mill. QUALITY is the secret.

WESTMAN BROS. Big Hardware and Implement House. SWING SALE. 20% reduction IN ALL Refrigerators, Blue Flame Oil Stoves, Ice Cream Freezers, Hammocks, Screen Doors, and other goods of summer goods. Object is clear out these lines.

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THE pride of knowing... the pride of achievement... while the satisfaction... the best procurable is... make your portraits.

WESTLAKE B... Entrance on 5th St... Phone 378.

G. W. CORNELL DENTIST Corner Sixth and King Street, Over the Bee Hive. Phone 377.

TO-NIGHT.

Junior Lacrosse Club practice, Telemach park at 6.15. Senior Lacrosse Club practice, Telemach Park, at 6.45.

Local Briefs

Pants worth \$1.50 and \$1.75 for \$1 at the 2 T's. Girls Wanted to learn weaving. Miss Ethel Tickner, VanAllen avenue, who has been visiting relatives and friends in London for the past three weeks, returned home last evening.

POACHING MUST STOP.

Hon. Mr. Prefontaine Determined on the Point. Ottawa, Aug. 22.—A supplementary report has been received from Capt. Dunn of the fishery cutter Petrel in regard to the attempt to seize the United States tug Silver Spray on Lake Erie.

Strike for Shorter Hours.

Crimmitchau, Saxony, Aug. 21.—About 7,500 textile workers of this district have struck for shorter hours of labor. The police broke up four meetings, because non-resident officials of the Textile Workers' Union addressed them.

Farm For Sale.

200 acres of excellent clay loam, adjoining Coatsworth village, within 1/2 mile of school, church, post office, store, elevator, railway station, hotel, etc.

DUNN & MERRITT, Fire Insurance Agents. Special facilities for placing large lines of insurance. Fifth St., Phone 295.

A Camera Snap

We have a Pocket Poco Camera with five extra plate holders, only used a short time, which we offer at \$7.00. It is as good as new and the outfit cost \$10.65.

A. J. McCall & Co., Limited CHATHAM. DRUGGISTS AND OPTICIANS. DRESDEN

20 Per Cent. DISCOUNT

If you contemplate travelling and need a good serviceable trunk. Take advantage of our 20 per cent. discount sale.

All trunks now in stock are offered at a big cut price to clear them out as we do not intend to handle any more after those we have are sold.

PEACE & GO.

of the many friends of the happy young couple. The bride was the recipient of a large number of beautiful and expensive gifts, a mark of the high esteem and regard of many appreciative friends.

GEN. HAMILTON'S VISIT.

A Noted British Soldier Who Will Pay a Visit to Canada. Toronto, Aug. 22.—Major-General Sir Ian Hamilton, Chief of Staff to Lord Kitchener, and who had a distinguished military career in South Africa, is coming to Canada in September, and would like to meet some of the old comrades who served with him through the Boer war.

JUST WEDDING.

The wedding of Miss Bessie Maude Samson, daughter of Mrs. Mary Samson, to George A. Cornish, Esq., which was solemnized at the residence of the bride's mother yesterday afternoon, was an exceedingly pretty event.

DEGREE FOR STRATHCONA.

Tendered Him by Senate of University of Toronto. The Senate of the University of Toronto at a meeting held yesterday afternoon decided to offer the degree of LL.D. to Lord Strathcona and Mount Royal.

The surprising part of it is that some people never show their surprise. Minard's Liniment Cures Dandruff.

STARBLING CHARGES.

INTERNATIONAL UNIONS IN THE WEST CONDEMNED.

One Leader Said to Have Sold Himself to C.P.R.—Alleged Secret Political Organization.

Ottawa, Aug. 21.—The report of the British Columbia Labor Commission, which will be tabled this afternoon, contains some startling revelations. It shows that the strike of the United Brotherhood of Railway Employees on the C. P. R., which began in February last year, was brought about by the headquarters of the organization at San Francisco, while the strikes this year of the coal miners in the employ of the Crow's Nest Pass Coal Company, the Western Fuel Company, Nanaimo; the Wellington Colliery Company, Ladysmith and Union, respectively, were due to another foreign organization, the Western Federation of Miners, with headquarters at Denver.

With respect to the C. P. R. strike it was established that the chief organizer in Canada of the United Brotherhood, who acting in this capacity, had sold his services, along with confidential letters received from the President of the order, to the railway company and acted as one of its secret agents in the strike.

The report details at length attempts to tie up the steamship service of the Canadian Pacific Railway on the Pacific and the Kootenay Lakes, to bring about a stoppage in the supply of coal and to effect a gigantic boycott in connection with the products of all concerns which even remotely had a connection with the business connection with the C. P. R.

The report draws a sharp line of distinction between the legitimate trade union and "a class of so-called union which is not really a trade union at all, but a secret political organization."

There was an absence of any general desire among the miners at Ladysmith for organization or of dissatisfaction with the wages or conditions of their employment.

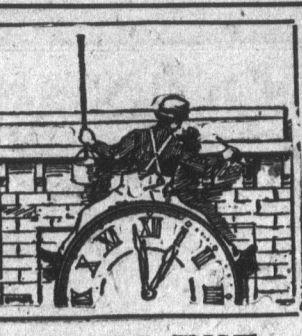
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A Japanese Challenger.

New York, Aug. 21.—Lieutenant Commander Isam Takahira of the Imperial Japanese Navy can carry out his plans, and will have yacht in the next contest for the America's Cup.

The Federal Council of Switzerland has requested Dr. Lardig, Swiss Minister in Paris, not to act as arbitrator in the Venezuelan claims.



NOW IS THE TIME

To buy your Summer Foot-wear. Special prices This Week: Boys' Canvas Bats, 75c for \$1.00. Ladies' " 2.50 for \$1.25. Men's " 1.75 for \$1.00. Many other lines at greatly reduced prices. Call and secure a bargain while they last.

TURRILL.

Repairing Done at Store.

COTTON RING GAINS.

Members Made Seven Millions on the July Corner. New Orleans, Aug. 22.—W. P. Brown and his associates, it can be authoritatively stated, cleared \$7,000,000 in their July cotton corner.

STEAMER CAROLINA ASHORE.

R. & O. Boat on the Rocks Near Tadoussac—Passengers Landed. Quebec, Aug. 22.—A despatch from St. Catharines Bay, opposite Tadoussac, states that the R. & O. steamer Carolina ran ashore in a dense fog at Pese Pierre, in the River Saguenay, six miles from Tadoussac, last night.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Notice to Contractors.

EXTENSION OF TIME. Sealed bids, or separate tenders, addressed to A. M. Pifer, for the erection of a modern brick residence for Hugh Garrett, Duluth Street, will be received until Thursday, Aug. 27th.



BEST SCRANTON COAL

AT LOWEST PRICES. Prompt delivery can be made now. Telephone 54. Office—Opposite G. T. Ry. Hotel, Queen Street.

WHAT ABOUT

That order for Groceries. We will take it to-day, please. Our goods are fresh. Our prices right.

Good Ginger Snaps, 6 cts. per lb. Pickles, mixed, 10 cts. per bottle. 1 lb. can Sunlight Baking Powder 10 cts. Lemon Biscuits, 9 cts. per lb. 6 cans Sardines, 25 cts. Rubber for fruit jars, 5 cts. per dozen. Fine Flavored Japan Tea, 25c per pound. Fresh ground coffee, 15 cts. per lb.

Crockery.

A quantity of pretty glass water sets, will be sold at a bargain. China, lots of it, new goods at cut prices. Dinner, Tea and Chamber Sets, at prices that make people look pleased to hand over the money for them.

John McConnell, Park St. East, Phone 190.

Up-to-date Millinery. AUSTIN & CO Fashionable Dressmaking

NEW DRESS GOODS.

Nobby Suitings in Irish Tweeds, Zebelines, Fancy Knot Effects, Stripe Homespuns, Flake Goods, Blue, Brown and Black Cheviots, Ladies' Cloth in Black and Colors, a fine assortment of all kinds of Black Goods. A few of our prices:

Table listing dress goods prices: 56 in. Irish Tweed in Blue and White, Fawn and White, Grey and White, Brown and White, only one suit length in each pattern, pretty designs. Price, \$10 a suit length. 46 in. Zebeline in Blue and White, Green and White, Brown and White, Fawn and White, only one suit length in each pattern, very nobby. Price \$10.00 a suit length. 44 in. Black Zebeline in very pretty stripe effect—for suit length, price \$14.50. 56 in. Homespuns in Plain Greys, Blue and White Stripe, Black and White Stripe, and Grey with White Flake. Price, \$1.00 per yard. Black Dress Goods in Ladies' Cloth, Homespuns, Broadcloth, Amazon, Henriettas, Poplin, Basket Cloth, in fact everything in Black Goods from 25c to \$2.00 per yard. Another shipment of Fancy Waists to hand in very pretty patterns, all Wool Goods. Price 50c, 65c, 75c and 90c. per yard.

Ladies' Wool Shawls.

Nothing better for style and comfort these cool evenings than one of our nice Wool Shoulder Shawls, made of nice fine wool in black, white, grey and cardinal. Prices run at 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$175.

AN EARLY SHOWING OF BEAUTIFUL NEW

FRENCH FLANNELS FOR FALL WAISTS.

Just opened up this week 26 pieces very choice designs in all the Newest Colorings, for Fancy Waists, Dressing Sacques, Kimonas, etc. Also a big assortment of small patterns, including Cream Grounds with navy, black and cardinal, spots and Stripes, also navy, cardinal black, grey and brown grounds, displaying small stripes, figures and polka dots. With this lot we are showing a very pretty effect in French Flannel with fancy borders for trimming on ground work of brown, navy, old rose, black, cardinal and light blue, with fancy small designs. At the popular price,

50 CENTS PER YARD. See Window Display Monday.

KIMONA FLANNELS.

We are now ready with a full assortment of Fall Patterns in Kimona and Wrapper Flannels. Beautiful designs, hand-some colorings, washmer of flannel finish, special per yd, 12 1-2c., 20c. and 25c.

Small Wares and Notions.

The array of modern necessities, little nic-nacs that go so far in completing a counter or window display—notions that every lady is sure to want. We invite the particular buyer to look over our line of ladies' belts. We proclaim 4 good points: Style right, price right, made right and fit right. 3 quick sellers, to retail at each, 25c., 35c., 50c.

Hook On' Corset Hose Supporter.

Does away with safety pins. Pulls corset down, and gives correct straight front effect. Price 25c.

C. Austin & Company

The Leading and Reliable Clothiers, Market Square Corner.

A STUDY OF COFFEE

Shows many differences. Some coffees have fine flavor, but are not very strong, others have strength, but not fine flavor.

See our Mocha and Java Blend. We have the finest flavor combined with lots of strength,

40c. a Pound.

If you like the American Coffee we can please you with our special blend,

35c a Pound.

H. MALCOLMSON

DR. A. W. THORNTON
DENTIST.
has Removed to his New Office,
Corner King and Fifth Streets,
over A. I. McCall's Drug Store.
TELEPHONE OFFICE 164.
RESIDENCE 285.

Chatham's Millinery Store!

For This Week and Next
I am selling all the balance of
Summer Hats, Flowers and Trimmings
of all kinds.

We have no room to put anything away. Come and see the bargains there are to be had.

C. A. Cooksley.
Opposite the Market Square.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

F. J. Westlake was in Detroit on business yesterday.

Lady's jacket found. Owner can have same by proving property and paying for this advertisement. 1d1w.

Peter Dezela, Police Officer, will leave Monday on a pleasure trip to Chicago. His holidays begin to-day.

Wanted, saleswoman for dry goods store, must speak French. Apply, stating experience and salary expected, to Box 167, Chatham.

Miss Allie Humphrey, of Wilmington, Del., will sing at the morning service in the Opera House to-morrow.

Lost, Knight Templar charm at Road Eau, between Fellows' boat house and Centerville station. Return for reward to T. Piggott, Centerville.

Owing to the renovations now going on, Park St. Methodists will hold their services in the Opera House to-morrow. An extra musical program will be given at both services.

All reading notices of local announcements must be received at this office not later than noon of the day on which it is desired that they appear in the Planet.

The Park St. Methodist congregation will worship in the Grand Opera House to-morrow, and each Sunday until the improvements in their church are completed.

Any irregularity on the part of the Planet's carrier boys will be immediately remedied by calling at the office or phoning 53a.

Warden Robinson and Chairman Haggart, of the Harrison Hall committee, were in the city to-day signing and completing the contract with the firm of Thomas Watts & Sons for the installation of a steam heating plant in Harrison Hall.

Endless Array OF TOILET GOODS.

There is a many a toilet aid or convenience to be had here, which is not obtainable elsewhere in this vicinity. In the more common lines the assortment is also vastly superior to that ordinarily carried.

We have a complete assortment of

Combs, Hair Brushes, Bath Brushes, Nail Brushes, Lather Brushes, Soaps, Toilet Towels, Lotions, Perfumes and Toilet Waters.

You get all of them at lowest possible prices with the added advantage of a large variety from which to choose

The Red Cross Drug Store
W. W. TURNER, Prop.
28 King St., Phone 221.



Built on Scientific Principles

And based on the requirements of practical utility, the "Ideal Favorite" Range has a value far above the price charged for it. It is pre-eminently the best cooker obtainable and furnishes a greater volume of heat with a smaller consumption of fuel than any other range made.

Come in and let us explain it to you.

J. C. Wanless
4 Doors East of Market,
Telephone 65, King St.

Didn't I Tell You?

N. Y. Stocks have advanced ten to twenty dollars per share in the past week. This means had you bought them on a \$2 margin you could now have the \$2 returned to you and also the profit of \$10 to \$20 per share or hold them for a further advance and draw the dividends. If they slip back a few cogs, had you not better nail some?

A nod's as good as a wink to a blind horse.

F. B. PROCTOR,
BROKER,
Northwood Block, Phone 240,
CHATHAM, ONT.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

Miss Jessie Harper is spending the day in Chatham.

Miss L. Greening returned yesterday, after a visit to Chatham.

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Laurie and Capt. Wm. Mowbray are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Glenn.

William Houston, who has returned from his western trip, is visiting at his father's summer cottage.

A splendid breeze was blowing last evening and many of the white-winged flyers were in commission.

Miss Nora Stephenson, who has been spending a brief vacation at the Eau, returned to Chatham last evening.

The band concert excursions were largely attended last evening. Both Chatham and Ridgetown trains were thronged.

Detective A. H. Skirring went to Ridgetown this morning to prosecute John Lounsbury, arrested by him for the larceny of Lake Erie freight.

Ericau residents were favored by a splendid scene last night. The northern lights, in all their brilliant scenic effects, were viewed and admired by scores.

To-night the cottagers will hold probably the last stringed orchestra dance at the pavilion. These delightful evening functions have been much enjoyed throughout the entire season and the cottagers owe a hearty vote of thanks to Messrs. W. W. Seano and E. B. Northwood for their services in arranging them and securing the music.

ECHOES FROM ERIEAU

COLONIES AND DEFENCE.

Mr. Bourassa and Others to State Their Opinions.

Montreal, Aug. 22. — The action of the Congress of Chambers of Commerce of the Empire endorsing the principle of colonial contributions towards the defence of the empire has aroused some opposition in French-Canadian circles, and a meeting has been called for Sunday night next to discuss the question, on the occasion addresses will be delivered by Mr. Henri Bourassa, M.P. for Labelle, and other prominent French-Canadian members of both political parties. Mr. Bourassa in an interview says:—"From what I have seen it does not seem to me that the congress has formulated the real sentiments of the Canadian people. The French-Canadian representatives to the congress have not, by their attitude, made known the sentiments of the Province of Quebec and of the French-Canadian people generally. I have accepted an invitation to speak at the meeting at the Theatre National Français on Sunday evening."

Minard's Linctament is used by Physicians.

LORD SALISBURY DYING.

KEPT ALIVE BY OXYGEN FOR TWENTY-FOUR HOURS.

He Does Not Suffer Much Pain, and Has Only Brief Periods of Consciousness.

London, Aug. 22.—The gates of Hatfield House were closed at midnight with the announcement that there had been no change in the patient's condition since early in the evening, and no other bulletin was expected until afternoon. The general belief is that Lord Salisbury will last through the night, but there is little expectation that the improvement shown last evening will prove more than a last flicker.

Since the bulletin issued Thursday night, announcing the condition of Lord Salisbury as critical, the members of his family have been gathered at the vicinity of the sick room awaiting the final call. It is realized that death is inevitable, though the patient is making a wonderful struggle. For 24 hours he has been fighting for every breath, aided by a continuous supply of oxygen. The heart weakness, which has been the most dangerous feature since the patient's last seizure, is hourly becoming accentuated and the Marquis is gradually sinking. He does not suffer much pain and has only brief periods of consciousness.

Telegrams have poured in from notable men throughout the world. King Edward telegraphed for additional information, though his Majesty has been kept informed of the bulletins. Hatfield House is situated in a magnificent park, which skirts the quaint town of which the Marquis of Salisbury is practically the owner.

Yesterday while the statesman lay on his back were playing cricket in the brilliant sunshine on the smooth lawn within earshot of the unpunctured room occupied by the patient. While on one side the cricketers laughed and chaffed each other, on the other side and almost an equal distance from the hot, was an ominous contrast, for there the workmen were finishing the grave of the Countess of Galloway, Lord Salisbury's half-sister, in the family burying ground. The Countess died a few days ago, but it is understood that Lord Salisbury was not informed of her death. Her funeral will take place at Hatfield at noon to-morrow.

COMPANY TO ASSIST.

Liberal Aid for Montreal Street Railway Benefit Society.

Montreal, Aug. 22.—The Montreal Street Railway Benefit Association will be put in operation almost immediately. The finishing touches were given to the by-laws governing the same at a meeting between the officials of the company and a deputation of employees. In the agreement the company binds itself to contribute not less than fifty per cent, or more than one hundred per cent, of the annual contributions of the members. The agreement in part reads as follows:—"To provide allowances, medical attendance and medicine to members when incapable of following their usual or any other suitable employment in the company's service, by reason of illness or bodily injury; to provide allowances in case of death to the representatives of deceased members; to provide a pension for old and disabled members. The funds of the association shall be derived from joint contributions of the company and the employees duly admitted as members of the association. The Committee of Management of the association shall take charge of the contributions and funds."

BLEW UP THE SAFE.

Attempt at Robbery at Toronto Junction.

Burglars blew up the safe of the Grand Trunk station at Toronto Junction about 1 o'clock this morning, and after firing several shots at the constables who were pursuing them, escaped in the darkness. They secured nothing, as there was not a cent in the safe.

The report of the explosion was heard from a considerable distance away, and attracted the attention of the watchman at Gurney's foundry. He telephoned for the police, and Constables Harper and Hay, with the Gurney watchman, went to the scene. As they approached the station two men came out and ran across the tracks behind some cars. From one of the safe-blowers turned round, and drawing a long revolver, fired several shots at the police. The latter returned the fire, but nobody was hit on either side. The burglars then ran along St. Claire avenue, where it was very dark, pursued by the two policemen and the watchman, and finally got in behind a clump of willow bushes and were lost to sight. In the darkness the police were unable to get a description of the men.

The Grand Trunk agent at Toronto Junction, Mr. Grundy, was notified, and the premises examined. The safe had been blown almost to pieces, but Mr. Grundy stated that it contained nothing of value.

DIED FROM HIS INJURIES.

Windsor, Aug. 21.—Homer Hurst, the young man who was terribly crushed between two cars at the Michigan Central depot yesterday afternoon, died at the Hotel Dieu Hospital last night. The young fellow's stomach was crushed at the hospital from Leamington a few minutes before he passed away.

At the Customs Office at Harburg, on the Elbe, a young lady has been arrested with several hollow books in her possession, containing smuggled jewels and lace.

SATURDAY SNAPS

AT THE

GORDON STORE

3c.	12 pieces fine English Colored Muslins, fit for babies, girls, Misses and women's wear.	3c.
5c.	Fine Muslins, Dimities and Prints, fast colors, former values 12 1/2c, 10c, 8c, Saturday.	5c.
7c.	Twelve pieces fine 16c Satens, choice colors and patterns, Saturday sale,	7c.
10c.	All our Fine Printed Muslins, Batistes and Dimities, some of the best this season, values at 15c, 18c, 20c, sale	10c.
14c.	Gordon's Wide Skirt Embroidery Sale now on, former values 25c and 30c a yard, at	14c.
4	Tables of the greatest bargains in Ladies' Shirt Waists ever seen in our city at 19c, 29c, 39c and 49c each.	4

WILLIAM GORDON.

WAIT! WAIT!

FOR

THE URBAN.

WAIT! WAIT!

BEHIND THE TIME

Our reporter, while collecting yacht news, called at the office of F. B. Proctor on King street. Mr. Proctor has a special fast wire from New York with only one relay at Cincinnati, and news of the great race was sandwiched in with the stock quotations. Very few of the citizens and business people understand trading in grain and stocks. It is needless to discuss the merits or demerits of the case, but the fact remains that it is of national proportions, occupying many thousands of persons and the New York Stock Exchange and the Chicago Board of Trade are two pillars of financial America.

The prices of grain in the Chicago market, as elsewhere, are regulated by cause and effect, producing supply and demand.

If you consider the price of grain too high for future delivery you can sell it and buy it back at a lower figure and make a profit. You have not the grain to sell, but the Commission Houses have it, and they permit you to sell their grain according to your own judgment, but they charge you one-eighth of a cent a bushel for executing your order, and that's where they make their money.

You advance one cent per bushel on the deal to protect the trade against loss during the transaction. If the market goes against you—you do not lose your margin but protect it another point until the market changes, and when you have a profit all of your deposits are returned with the profit.

On the other hand, if you think a grain is cheap and will sell higher later on, you buy it and hold for an advance in the market.

All of your orders are contemplating actual execution, and this the Commission Houses do. Your margins simply give you a certain interest in a co-operative manipulation, as it were.

New York stocks are shares in railroad and industrial enterprises. They represent a legitimate value and an interest in the gains or losses of the corporations. At times these shares are forced upwards to an imaginary value. That is the time to sell the shares and then buy them in when they go down. Again owing to certain conditions and operations, values of these shares are forced down to one-half or one-quarter of their value, as was and is the case in the present. Now is the time to buy these shares, for when they return to their legitimate value you will multiply your investment many times if you deal on a two per cent. margin. It is the abuse, not the use of the Stock Exchange, that breaks dabblers.

Mr. Proctor is not running a cockpit or a crap joint, but a legitimate commission business. He acts as your agent and places your orders with a safe responsible house. He has a large pleasant front office in the Northwood Block full of easy chairs. He has a fast wire and reports on

C. C. I. Strand People's Popular Course

Under the direction of Fred H. Briscoe, at the Grand Opera House on the following dates.

Whitney Bros. Quartet,	Monday, October 26, 1903
The Pierce's Social Entertainers,	Monday, Nov. 30, 1903
Cecilian Concert Society,	Xmas Night.
Ritchie and Company Entertainers,	Monday, January 26
Carnival Company,	Monday, Feb. 8
Hawthorne Music Club,	Monday, March 14
Melvin Robinson Quartet,	Monday, March 31
Col. H. W. J. Hall,	Monday, April 11

MRS. J. H. O. is listing Chatham for the above course. This course of eight lessons is sold to subscribers for \$1.00. Add your name to list when Mrs. Coon calls.

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You expect much from our Dress Goods section, because we have shown you the same as you would see in much larger cities. You will not be disappointed this season. We are showing a much larger assortment, bought in the markets of Europe, and before the advance in prices. The problem of what to buy for your fall suit is solved here.

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(Jordan's Big Clock), but he is up-to-date.

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a long time I used to go in any old place for them—but by George, you know I got my leg pulled so that,—well—you can see for yourself.

NOW I don't wear a shoe unless its from

Cowan's.

You can depend upon what you get there.



MILLIONS A MINUTE.

Greatest Loser on Record Dies in a Garret in a London Slum.

In a grimy garret in a London slum there died the other day the only man who ever succeeded in losing \$25,000,000 in five minutes' time.

His name was Henri Thibault. For years prior to his death he had eked out a precarious subsistence as a translator and teacher of languages.

Thibault's idea was to secretly buy up the world's available supply of copper and wait for the inevitable rise.

From his office in Paris he controlled through his agents, the markets of London, Berlin and Vienna, and in all of them he purchased every pound of copper that was offered.

The result was quickly apparent. On July 1, 1887, "B. C. B's" (best Chile bars) were selling at \$200 a ton.

By June 1 they had risen to \$295, and the rise continued steadily to the middle of December, when the unheard-of price of a fraction over \$500 a ton was being asked and obtained.

Then came the collapse. Thibault had sunk all his own money in the venture, and still from all sorts of odd and unexpected corners of the world copper came pouring in.

As soon as he ceased buying he had, of course, to commence selling, and this hastened and accentuated the inevitable end.

By March 1 the price had dropped to less than it was when Thibault commenced operations.

Altogether the gigantic gamble cost him \$50,000,000, of which sum fully one-half was lost between noon and five minutes past on Feb. 28, 1889, when the bottom dropped out of his corner.

The Kite as an Air Ship. I have had the feeling that a properly constructed flying machine should be capable of being flown as a kite and, conversely, that a properly constructed kite should be capable of use as a flying machine.

Given a kite so shaped as to be suitable for the body of a flying machine and so efficient that it will fly well in a good breeze (say twenty miles an hour) when loaded with a weight equivalent to that of a man and engine, then it seems to me that this same kite, provided with an actual engine and man in place of the load and driven by its own propellers at the rate of twenty miles an hour, should be sustained in the air as a flying machine.

As to Laying Rails. English railway experts seem determined to do everything in the most complicated way, as Americans prefer the simplest. For instance, Yankees lay railroad rails directly upon the sleeper.

The English lay bull head rails upon wooden chairs which in turn rest upon the sleepers. The result is to multiply the noise, which would be almost intolerable if English engines and cars were to be used on small and light affairs.

The London Transport. A technical authority says, "It is generally admitted that the American system of laying tracks is more elastic than the English chair and key system, while the smoothness of running adds comfort in traveling and considerably reduces the wear and tear to rolling stock."

The Goat of the Fusiliers. In his recent gift of a goat from the royal herd to the fusiliers King Edward followed the example of his royal mother, who at different times gave this famous regiment a goat, the first being presented as far back as 1845.

On that occasion it was one of a magnificent Cashmere breed then kept in Windsor park, a herd of which was sent to the Victoria by the then viceroy. This goat, as may be expected, was highly prized and marched at the head of the regiment during a campaign in Bulgaria, afterward accompanying the fusiliers to the Crimea.

Shortly after the battle of Alma the goat began to show symptoms of illness, and despite every care it finally succumbed to the first onset of weather on Dec. 20, 1854, before Sevastopol.

Great Britain's Coal Supply. Great Britain is likely to be a powerful competitor of the United States in the world's coal market for some time.

According to an English expert the supply of coal yet remaining to be mined in the United Kingdom amounts to 80,384,000,000 tons, which, at the present rate of mining, would last 370 years.

The same authority gives the total output of the world in 1900 as 7,677,636,204 tons, of which Great Britain produced 229,000,000 tons, or 30 per cent, and the United States 245,000,000 tons, leaving a balance of about 35 per cent for the rest of the world.

A Curious Accident. A curious accident is reported from Belleville, Ill. A woman was fishing in the creek which runs through that place, and her hook caught in the clothing of a man who had been missing some days. The woman managed to get the body ashore, then fainted, fell into the creek and was drowned.

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Favorable Indication. "Miss Harrington says she is very fond of animals," remarked Bliggen's sister.

A Natural Collector. "You are fond of pictures?" said the connoisseur.

His Natural Preference. Stationer—Yes, sir. Here is an elegant deck of cards for 20 cents.

Stranger—I should prefer paying a nickel more. Being a naval officer, I naturally prefer a quarter deck.

Beginning to Realize It. "I never heard Dinsmore acknowledge that he was owing old before today."

Head All the Pastor. Kate—Well says she wouldn't marry the best man going.

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CURED LONG AGO BUT STILL CURED S. Kernan's Incurable Disease cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

A Curious Accident. The fellow who has dyspepsia usually makes other people suffer for it.

REFORMATION AT BLIZZARD CAMP

By FRANK H. SWEET

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Half a dozen unshaved, red shirted miners were gathered about the dingy counter of the one store at Blizzard Camp. It was Christmas eve, and they wanted something extra for their dinner on the morrow—just to keep them in mind of the day, they said.

"Have you got any—toys?" he asked hesitatingly.

"Toys," the man repeated, looking at the encircling faces with abashed embarrassment, "things to play with, I mean, like children have at Christmas. You see," with a curious mingling of apology and pride in his voice, "my little ten-year-old boy come in with a

"Here, take this along with you," he said, relinquishing the can to which he had been clinging so fondly.

"And this too! And this too!" added the owner of the sardines and the owner of the baked beans, and then Sheriff Dobson bright before them and slipped something bright and heavy into the hand which held the jumping jack.

"It's a nest egg for the kid," he said gravely. "Now, you better go home an' fill up his stockings, an' tomorrow you may tell him merry Christmas from all of us."

The Secret in the Bricks. A man who owned a whole street of houses at Gisborne, near Melbourne, was much puzzled and annoyed to find that the bricks were being constantly stolen from the garden walls of some of these houses.

Bloodshed Averted. Ople Read, the novelist, once told of his experiences as a journalist in Kentucky many years ago.

Cathedral Built by One Man. The Cathedral of Boulogne-sur-Mer was rebuilt by the efforts of the Abbe Haffreingue. The former edifice had been sold as national property in 1793 and destroyed, with all its monuments, altars and statues.

When the site, which had been marked by a heap of stones, came into the market in 1820 the abbe purchased it and determined to rebuild the cathedral. Aided by general contributions, he accomplished this, being his own architect and supervisor of the works.

The abbe was made a bishop in recognition of this work. A black marble cenotaph to his memory is surmounted by a life size statue of the prelate kneeling and holding a model of the restored cathedral in his hands, which he is offering to Our Lady of Boulogne, who, according to an ancient legend, has just arrived in a boat, bearing the holy infant in her arms, attended by two angels.

"No, but you are of the kid's. See here!" an inclusive ring in his voice which had made many stronger men tremble. "You ain't walkin' the same line you was twenty-four hours ago. Then you was a poor, no 'count drunkard who'd a right to dig his grave without opposition from nobody; now you're markin' out a trail for that kid to follow."

"What's that on the top shelf?" he asked suddenly.

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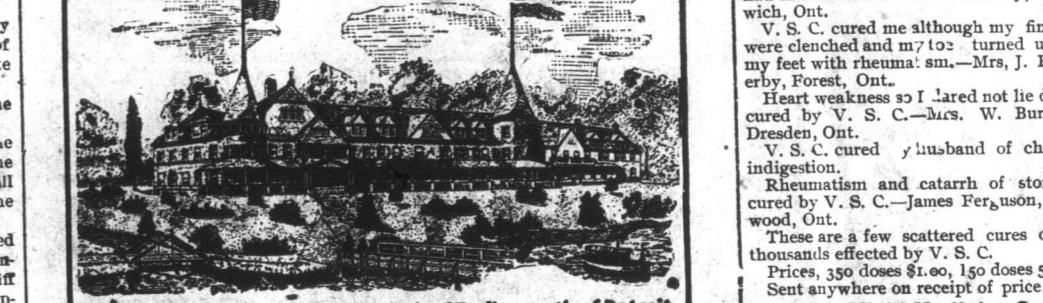
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V. S. C. is the best medicine we ever had in our house.—Robt. McKay, Harwich, Ont.

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This WHITE SHIRT WAIST SALE RE-ORGANIZED FOR SATURDAY AND UNTIL CLEARED.

Not a waist must be left after the end of the season, and judging from the last two weeks' selling it will not be a difficult task to clear them out. Here's what this re-organized sale means. It means that the assortment has been broken into recently and for Saturday's most stylish and best white waists shown in Chatham this year were marked away lower than ever and you can practically buy them about one half their regular value. Grouped as follows:—\$1.00 and \$1.25 for \$1.15; \$2.25 for \$1.60; \$2.75, \$2.65 and \$3.00 waists all for \$2.00.

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DISTRICT DOINGS. BLENHEIM

August 22.—Mr. James Gardiner, wife and son, of Detroit, are visiting relatives in town. Alex. Tait has secured a position with Mr. H. L. Stratton, general merchant.

DRESDEN

August 22.—Sandy Burnie has returned from a holiday visit to Detroit. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Aldin are visiting friends in Windsor. Bruce Wallen has returned from his holidays.

Will Jason, of Tilbury, was a Dresden star yesterday. Mrs. Ernst Herbert, of London, (nee Miss Alice Prebble), is visiting friends in town.

TILBURY

August 21.—Miss Ella Anderson returned from a holiday visit to Detroit. Mrs. Ella Anderson returned from a holiday visit to Detroit.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Dr. Lum, a prominent Preston, Ont., citizen, is dead. Near Clinton Thos. Webster was struck and killed by a G. T. R. train.

...THE WORLD OF SPORT...

EVIDENTLY SORE

Detroit Lacrosse Management Breaks Forth with Abusive Talk in News.

Reason for Leaving Field on Tuesday Last—Had to Catch a Train—Want to Wager \$150.—Mr. Babcock's Statement

The following is taken from the Detroit News of last night: Despite the difficulties experienced by the management of the Detroit team in introducing lacrosse here, the local club has won a reputation for its playing strength and Manager Mude is certain that in time the crowds will turn out to see the great Canadian game.

Hopes are entertained of getting the Shamrocks of Montreal, the best lacrosse team in Canada, for a game here in September, and Bennett Park will be secured if possible. The Detroit men are sure they can hold their own and do better even than they did against the Toronto University team early in the season.

Challenges have been issued to play the Wallaceburg and Chatham teams again, the Detroit management being willing to play either team for \$150 a side on any neutral field and, with any well known referee. These "defis" are the result of the feeling that has arisen from the games played with Chatham and Wallaceburg previously.

In the tie game, Tuesday, at Blenheim, Ont., between Detroit and Chatham, it is alleged that Chatham played six "ringers." The Detroit men claim that they played no outsiders and were crippled by the absence of two of their best men, Johnson and Walsh.

The Detroiters were disgusted by the shabby treatment which they allege was given them by the Chatham management and deny the charges made that they left the field to avoid certain defeat. The necessity for calling the game in time to catch a train

is said to have prevented the playing of the tie. Statements printed in the Wallaceburg papers regarding the Wallaceburg-Detroit game have aroused the ire of the Detroit players and they longed for a chance to meet the Burgers again. These statements were to the effect that Detroit refused to accept another referee after Pat Lally had left the field, and that the Detroit team was kept from continuing play by "internal dissensions." Manager Mude says he was willing to accept any fair referee and that Wallaceburg decamped unceremoniously. The Detroiters are willing to have as referee for either of the matches mentioned Jackson of Seaford, or Hugh Jack, or Tack Henry of Brantford.

Our reporter interviewed manager Frank Babcock and showed him the above clipping. He said, "We did not play six ringers against Detroit. Only three players that were not Chatham men played with us, and we would rather have had Dowling and Elliott, who are eligible to play and who have played in championship games than the three outsiders we did have."

"In regard to the bet of \$150 the Detroit management can be accommodated at any moment. Detroiters say they were shabbily treated by Chatham management. They were given more money for expenses than what was agreed upon and seemed to be well pleased at the way they were treated. They further state that the necessity for calling the game was their train and this prevented them from playing off the tie. This, as everybody knows who was there, is not true. The game was over at 6.11 and there was no train over at 6.25. They had ample time to play another hour if necessary, but they were content to go home not losers."

LACROSSE

The Wallaceburg lacrosse team will not play their return game with Chatham until next Thursday, when the second game for the Gray Cup will be played.

BOWLING

DRAFT OF DOUBLE. The annual club bowling tournament of the local club is in progress and many exciting and good contests have already resulted. The doubles will be started right away. The draft for doubles is:

Round 1. W. E. Merritt and T. K. McKeand against L. E. Tilson and J. E. Oldershaw. A. H. VonGuten and G. H. Cobble-dick against W. Anderson and J. McGregor.

R. G. Fleming and Chas. Austin against D. A. Hutcheon and John McCorvie. J. S. Black and F. Tschirhart against Dr. J. L. Bray and J. Gosnell. J. H. Clark and George Smithson against G. K. Atkinson and G. F. Turrill. J. W. Webb and D. H. Douglas against J. E. Thomas and O. L. Lewis.

Round 2. Winner A. vs. winner E.—J. Winner D. vs. winner C.—K. Winner I. vs. winner B.—L. Winner G. vs. winner H.—M. F. bye.—N.

Round 3. Winner J. vs. winner N.—X. Winner M. vs. winner L.—Y. Winner K. bye.—Z.

Final Round. Winner Z. Y. vs. X. DRESDEN BEATS BOTHWELL. Two rinks of Bothwell bowlers were easily defeated at Dresden yesterday. The Bothwell club is a new one and will may it prosper. Dresden club is a strong one and Bothwell's beginners have no reason whatever to be discouraged.

BASEBALL

WILL BE GOOD GAME. The Ben Hurrs of Detroit play the local club here on September first and there is no doubt that it will be a good game, as the Ben Hurrs are playing good ball in the Detroit city league. Manager Pete McAuley of the local club desires good practices of all who want a chance on the team every night next week. The team will be picked from those who turn out to practice and get in shape.

TILBURY BEATEN. The Tigettes, a fast Detroit aggregation of ball players, defeated the Tilbury ball team 12 to 2 yesterday. The Tilbury team did not have its best possible team on.

Baltimore ... 000100000-3 Toronto ... 000002010-3 Summary:—Earned runs—Baltimore 2, Toronto 2. Two-base hits—Robison, Jones, McCredie, Three-base hits—Downey. Sacrifice hits—Robison. Bases stolen—Fuller, McAleese, Kelly and Robinson. Errors on balls—By Burchell 2, by Briggs 1. Batter hit—By Briggs 1. Strike out—By Burchell 3, by Briggs 4. Left on bases—Baltimore 8, Toronto 9. First base on errors—Toronto 2. Time, 1.45. Umpire—Brown. Attendance, 1,472.

Buffalo ... 011400017-13 Rochester ... 010000109-2 3 R.H.E. Batteries—Mulligan and Shaw; Kertsch and Steiman and Madison. Umpire, Kelly. Attendance, 377.

Jersey City ... 100001112-7 12 1 Montreal ... 000002010-3 6 3 Batteries—McGinn and McManus; Hemming and Brennan. Umpire, Swartwood. R.H.E.

Newark ... 200101200-7 11 4 Providence ... 020001108-8 8 Batteries—Pardee, Moriarity and Shea; Yerkes and Duggan. Umpire—Cauliflower. Attendance, 300.

AT PHILADELPHIA (first game)—R.H.E. St. Louis ... 000000000-0 0 0 Philadelphia ... 10200420X-13 3 Batteries—Murphy and Ryan; Dugstey and Looch. R.H.E.

Second game—R.H.E. St. Louis ... 100200000-3 7 0 Philadelphia ... 10100420X-8 11 3 Batteries—Rhodes and O'Neil; Frase and Roth. Umpire, Emalle. Attendance, 2,740.

AT CLEVELAND (first game)—R.H.E. Detroit ... 000000000-0 0 0 Philadelphia ... 000001000-1 8 3 Batteries—Donnan and Buelow; Wadgell and Schreck. R.H.E.

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AT CHICAGO (first game)—R.H.E. Chicago ... 000021000-3 8 4 Boston ... 300000021-11 5 1 Batteries—Wright and Burdon; Chetani and Beville. Umpire, Egan. Attendance, 3,800.

AT CLEVELAND (second game)—R.H.E. Cleveland ... 21101011-8 12 3 Washington ... 000000000-0 0 2 Batteries—Donahue and Bemis; Wilson, Townsend and Kitzinger. Umpire, Sheridan. Attendance, 2,200.

AT ST. LOUIS (first game)—R.H.E. St. Louis ... 000500023-8 3 3 New York ... 010001000-3 10 2 Batteries—Wright and Burdon; Chetani and Beville. Umpire, Connolly. Attendance, 3,100.

Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in Cows.

New Fall Hats.

The New York Hats are here. Seems a little early to think of Fall but a new hat would brighten up that Summer outfit now turning somewhat rusty.

The shapes are full and large in both Stiff and Soft Hats, and Black is the predominating color, with here and there a Slate or Drab in the large soft shape.

We are showing all the New Fall Blocks and Shapes from the leading American makers. Come in and look them over. See what is going to be worn, and which you look the best in. You won't be pressed to buy. Prices run from

\$1.00 to \$3.00.

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THE BAZAAR AND CHINA HALL.

Jardiners, new colors, new shapes—40c, 50c, \$1.00, \$1.50. New Tea Sets, extra large size, very fine, \$4.50 and \$8.00 per set. Candleabras—New styles, very effective, 25c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.50 each. In Japanese China—Fern Pots, Rose Jars, Chocolate Pots, Sugar and Cream Sets, all at our usual low prices.

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PURITY. LAGER BEER

"The Beer That is Brewed in Glass"

Steel tanks, glass lined, are cleaner than wood can ever be, and an inspection of our closed, glass lined tanks will convince anyone of their undoubted advantage in that great essential of a successful brewery, viz., CLEAN LINES. Our beer differs in no way from a beer perfectly fermented in open tanks, providing the cellar, the tanks and the atmosphere in which the beer is fermented are absolutely free from bacteria or contaminating infection. These conditions are seldom possible and THE CLOSED TANK SYSTEM IS THE ONLY INSURANCE AGAINST RISK OF CONTAMINATION.

The Walkerville Brewing Co., Limited WALKERVILLE, ONT. F. A. ROBERT, Sales Agent, Chatham.

BURNED TO DEATH. A HORSE TRADE

Terrible Fate of Two Boys on an Electric Tower. Saginaw, Mich., Aug. 20.—James Budd and Eugene Moss, aged sixteen years each, were burned to death here in an electric light tower to-night. It has been the practice of the boys playing in that neighborhood to climb the tower, which is 125 feet high, to a platform at the top. To-night, the Moss boy, while at the top, touched a wire carrying a heavy current, and instantly his body was a mass of flames. Young Budd attempted to rescue his companion, and both were killed. Very often the hardest things to keep are promises. The egotist is always the other fellow.

Attractive Bargains

To-Night and Monday.

In spite of the great obstruction to our entrance we have had the largest summer trade in our history and to end a busy week we offer an exceptionally interesting list for to-night and Monday evening. It is a little awkward getting into the store just now, but we always manage to keep an easy passage open and we make it worth your while to come in.

Bargains in Dresses and Skirts.

In our suit department we have reduced all our summer garments to the lowest notch for clearing sale to-night and Monday.

LADIES' COLORED MUSLIN DRESSES, neatly made with bonnets and tucking, in pink, blue and grey, reg. price \$3.50 each, on sale for \$1.25.

LADIES' EVEN COLOR LAWN SHIRT WAIST DRESSES, very neat and stylish, tucked and hemstitched, reg. price \$2.75 each, on sale for \$1.15.

LADIES' SHIRT WAIST SUITS, made of fine percale, white with black spots, very neat and dressy, reg. price \$2.00, on sale for 90c.

LADIES' SHIRT WAIST SUITS, made of heavy Belfast Repp, stylishly trimmed and perfect fitting, in colors blue and linen, reg. price \$6.75, on sale for \$3.15.

LADIES' FINE WHITE ORGANDIE DRESSES, beautifully trimmed with fine lace and insertions, very stylish and dressy, reg. price \$6.50 for \$3.25, reg. price \$8.75, for \$4.50.

Thos. Stone & Son.

LININGS FOR 3c.—300 ends of cambric linings, in lengths from 1 yard to 4 yards, in white, cream, black and every possible shade, regular price is 6c yard, all ends priced to clear at a yard 3c.

WHITE WAISTS AT 50c.—Ladies' white lawn waists, 72 of them, all sizes, 32 in, regular price \$1.00, on sale for 50c.

COLOR SHIRT WAISTS.—Ladies' shirt waists, made of colored percales, in neat colorings, sizes 32, 34, 26, 38 and 42, at these prices:—Reg. \$5.00 waists for 2.50, regular \$1 waists for 45c.

SALE OF SILKS.—25 boxes of "Bright Eye" Silks, fine mercerized silk finish, in all plain colors and shaded effects, on sale very special to-night and Monday at a special 30c.

LADIES' VEST SPECIAL.—Ladies' cream cotton vests, short sleeves, well made, elastic finish, regular price 12 1/2c each, on sale for 8c.

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DUCK AND PIQUE BELTS.—Ladies' fashionable belts, made of white pique and duck and embroidered linen with neat buckles, at these prices:— 25c Belts for 14c. 40c Belts for 24c.

The Planet

SATURDAY, AUGUST 22.

DEVEY THE POLITICIAN

The Chief Dever of New York, de-graded from the police force for ac-cepting bribes to protect the gamblers and criminals of New York city, is out as a candidate for the mayoralty of Greater New York. He was open to the assault of the "almighty dollar" when in office and now that he would capture the highest honor in the gift of the electorate of the first city in America he makes his appeal to the lesser passions and appetites of the voters. He organized a picnic for the wives and daughters of the men with blights and charged the latter twenty-five cents per head to witness the show. Devey claims that between 50,000 and 75,000 persons attended, while the New York Tribune allows that not less than 25,000 were present. Tickets were supplied, every man, woman and child entitled back to ice cream, cakes and lemonade. With the compliments of W. S. Devey. The climax was reached when Devey arrived in the evening and the bands played. The enthusiasm was of the wildest and his speech, which was undoubtedly original, was greeted with cheers renewed again and again. Scarcely the ex-pectation made his appeal to the women to take hold in the campaign and compel their husbands, sons, brothers and fathers to be on the right side on the one day out of the 365. "You are being highwayed and robbed. Even the girls, with the money they get, don't have enough to buy decent hats and clothes and go out on the highway and look decent. This is a householders' fight. It is for the people. Insist that the male members of your families vote for W. S. Devey for mayor. If I am elected, it will not be Carnegie or Rockefeller or Morgan libraries, which you can't see. It'll be coal and wood and food you'll get, if I'm elected. If I'm elected, I'll look after your interests and won't let the politicians make you look like 30 cents."

RECONILER OF NATIONS

The first of the America Cup races of 1903 finds even the nation which is defending the cup concealing a hope. Down in the depths of its sportsmanlike bosom, that the un-encouraged challenger may win. Never, probably, has good feeling in an international sport—the good feeling that is not merely of the sports-men and those who understand and love the game, but of the great public which knows nothing but the flags on the mast-head—been more general or more generous. It is almost enough to justify the smiles of the United Kingdom's merchants at Montreal when a Canadian mentions war with the United States. For, after all, sport is a great reconciler of nations. Where war is made by the people, and not by a ruler, it is almost invariably the result of a misconception; and there is nothing like the close and intimate intimacy of skill and nerve and bodily strength to abolish the little mis-understanding under which men labor concerning one another. The America Cup has had a peculiarly pow-erful influence in this direction. Yachting, primarily a diversion of the wealthy and leisured classes, and pos-sessing in England at least, a social standing which no other sport, not even fox-hunting, can attain, has through the cup contests become the object of the keenest popular en-thusiasm. Every section of the peo-ple has had its interest stirred and its sympathies aroused by Sir Thomas Lipton's invincible determination and the equally fogged resistance of the New York yachtsmen. The erstwhile disgruntled Irish potato-raiser has watched the doings of his fellow countryman with prayers for his success; the inland Populist of Ne-braska, who never saw a sheet of water bigger than his duck-pond, has learned to name the entire sail area of the latest defender; and each has been compelled to respect and admire the other's representatives.

The Anglo-American entente has seldom of late been more impar-tial than in the days when the America Cup seemed to have become a dead and useless relic of by-gone times, or a little later when that noble yachtman failed to face opposing cir-cumstances with equanimity. It has seldom been firmer than to-day, when Britain seems at last about to tear the emblem of a grossly-suspected contest from the hands that have held it so long.—Toronto News.

YES, WE ARE BETTING ON THE SHAMROCK

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PROMISE OF THE LORD OF HOSTS

"As I Was With Moses, So I Will Be With These"—And Victory Is to Him Who Seizes Upon That Promise and Prayfully Goes Forth to Do His Work Daily in the World.

Entered according to Act of Parliament of Canada, in the year 1903, by William Bailey, of Toronto, at the Dept. of Agriculture, Ottawa.

Chicago, Aug. 16.—In his sermon the preacher points out the key to a successful life and the secret whereby even seeming reverses may be transformed into triumphs. The text is Joshua 1, 5, "As I was with Moses so I will be with thee."

One of the greatest novels written, so considered by many of our best critics, is Victor Hugo's masterpiece, "Les Misérables." Amid all the art gallery of that treasured book the most wonderful description is the word painting by which the denouncer of "Napoleon the Little" pictures the downfall of "Napoleon the Great" at the battle field of Waterloo. When this great master of literature topples over the French colossus, the earth trembles and the dead centuries come forth out of their misty tombs and look on in perpetual wonderment.

In that marvellous recital you can hear the booming of the artillery's guns and the crack of the infantry's muskets and the groans of the dying and the cheers of the charging cavalry, and the tramp of the British lines forming themselves into the unbreakable squares against which the Old Guard flung itself in vain. In it you can see the flushed cheeks and the flashing eyes of a conquering host, and the pale, wan, haggard faces of a flying mob.

Yet after all in reading the thrilling story I am impressed not so much by what happened as what did not happen. For many hours the eagle of victory seemed undecided upon which standard to alight. She fluttered this way and that, as though awaiting some one's expected advent to help her to decide.

Napoleon himself was waiting, anxiously waiting, for the same help. Every little while he would take his field glass and scan the surrounding hills and valleys. Every little while he would turn to his field officers and say: "Do you see him? Have you heard any news from Grouchy? We must have reinforcements or we are lost." In the meantime over the hills marched Marshal Blucher with his German reinforcements. That was the decisive event. Victory hesitated no longer. She flew to the standard of Wellington and perched there. The Napoleonic star set in gloom to rise no more in this world.

It was the lack of reinforcements at a critical moment which destroyed the French army. It is the lack of divine reinforcements which may destroy us in the battle of life.

The text tells us of another general who also needed reinforcements. "To Joshua was committed the task of conquering a country held by warlike people. To him at the supreme moment came the assurance of the Lord of Hosts, 'I will be with thee. Now, my friends, the same kind of divine reinforcement which came to Joshua when he took command of the Israelitish forces may also be given to us. When God gave him his commission he said, 'Joshua, if you will be true to me and fight under my standard I will be with thee as I was with thy predecessor.' That divine succor which God gave to Joshua, he gave to our Christian fathers; that divine help he will give to us if we will trust him and believe in him, and live for him.

Therefore I would inspire every Christian to prayerfully go forth and do what God wants him to do. I would inspire all Christians to live and work with a brave heart, because the results of our future conflicts are as sure as God's promises are sure.

First, God will be with the Christian workers of this present generation. We fight under his glorious banner. David had proved it by experience when he wrote, "Thou hast

given a banner to them that fear thee, that it may be displayed because of the truth." Under that banner the church of God has won victories in all ages. Solomon sang on its march and pronounced it "terrible as an army with banners." He saw it later, triumphant over all evil, entering like a bride into the home of a bridegroom and her lord leading her into the banquet hall and placing over her the banner of love. Now a banner is not merely a piece of a rag or a flaring bit of fluttering bunting or a dress parade emblemmatic. The banner of God is a flag or a standard. It is the symbol of supernatural authority. Whoever therefore strikes at God's banners strikes at the divine heart. To-day, in symbol, God wraps about every Christian worker his banner. It is the symbol of protection. It is the symbol of omnipotence. It is the symbol of the atonement. It is the symbol of divine forgiveness. It is the symbol of a glorious and never ending life.

God is with living Christian workers in the continuity of service. He will never allow the gospel work of past generations to die. Christian work has immortality. Like the Government of England it goes on uninterrupted from generation to generation. When King William IV, breathed his last the Archbishop of Canterbury immediately hurried to the home of a young girl. He knocked at the door of her palace until it was opened. Then he summoned this young girl to arise and come down and meet him. When she entered the parlor he bowed to her, saying: "The King is dead! Long live the Queen!" When that young girl, after she had grown to be an old woman of eighty-six, lay dying, her watchers stood anxiously about her bed. As soon as she had breathed her last, and the attending physician pronounced her dead, her eldest son, Edward, was greeted with the acclamation, "Long live the King!" Rulers may come and rulers may go, but the Government goes on, no matter what human hand may grasp the sceptre. Like a true Government, the gospel work of the past generations shall never die. It must live on in the world. It is for us to continue it in our gospel faith and in our Christian lives.

In the fourth chapter of Mark, Christ compares Christian work to a sower going forth to sow. Some of that seed will surely fall upon good ground, which will yield some thirty, some sixty, some a hundred fold. It must reproduce itself, multiplicatively in the human lives of the succeeding generations. When Dwight L. Moody died did his work die? Without doubt Mr. Moody was the greatest evangelist of the past century. His personality not only appealed to sinners but also to the greatest Christian workers of his day. His voice and pen raised vast sums of money for Christian work. He was a gospel messenger who stirred England and America on his evangelistic tours. He built the famous institutes at Northfield. He gathered among the Massachusetts hills college men as well as ministers in annual conference for prayer and communion with God and for the study of the Bible. Suddenly, as a flash, Mr. Moody was struck down by the death angel. One day on his way to hold great evangelistic services in Kansas City, the next day upon his death bed. What was the result of Mr. Moody's death? Has any great evangelist been found to take his place? "Ah, no," you answer; "not one, not one!" Well, my friend, if no one else has been found to take Mr. Moody's place I can tell you this one truth: Mr. Moody when living was never as powerful as Mr. Moody when dead. The Chicago Institute and Moody Church have never been so great as they are to-day. The institutes at Northfield were never doing better work than at the present time. And what is more, the very summer after Mr. Moody died the mightiest Northfield conference ever known up to that time was held, in spite of the fact that the most eloquent tongue and the best poised brain and the biggest heart Northfield ever produced were lying silent in the grave. Mr. Moody's gospel seed planting yielded forth some thirty, some sixty, and some a hundred fold. It was God's work, and God's work alone.

When Charles H. Spurgeon died did his work die? Oh, no. God is still blessing the mission of the Metropolitan Tabernacle and of the London

pastors College. He is still blessing the work of Charles H. Spurgeon because it was intrinsically inspired by the Holy Spirit. He is blessing it through Spurgeon's successors. It will raise us up as modern Joshuas if we only live for him. He will bless in our lives the work of the Christian men and women with whom we have come into contact in the past. He will make us an essential link in a great chain of Christian influences which shall reach through all eternity.

God will bless the lives of modern Christian workers even through the death of his servants. Death is often a spiritual pruning hook. It lops off certain branches of the great tree of the human race in order that other branches may better develop and grow. We are all ready to recognize the usefulness of a pruning hook in a temporal sense. Why can we not do this in a spiritual sense? God, I believe, often uses the sharp pruning hook of death to spiritually develop his undeveloped children. He takes away his Moses in order to throw the spiritual responsibilities upon his Joshuas. He says to us one and all: "It is not right for you, oh, young man, to learn to lean upon your father's arm and mother's spiritual life! You must learn to lean upon my divine arm, and mine alone. And in the leaning I will protect thee and care for thee, as I did for your Christian parents."

God will bless the Christian workers of the present generation because Christ has emphatically and distinctly promised that by the weak things of this world God shall confound the mighty. That means that no child of God is too young to lead sinners to the cross, no Christian's arm is too weak to wield a sickle in the harvest field, no lip is too dumb to utter a far-reaching prayer, if that lip only belongs to a true disciple of Jesus Christ.

We can prove this statement by recounting the history of the famous revival services held among the students of Edinburgh a few years ago. Henry Drummond of blessed memory! Henry Drummond, whose chief mission was given to the redemption for Christ of student life, gave an account of this movement on his last visit to this country. A couple of athletes of the University of Edinburgh were about to sail as foreign missionaries. Their classmates wanted to give them a big farewell. They hired one of the largest halls in the city. As the students were about to go forth as missionaries they prepared a big religious service. After these young men had departed a few of the Christian students left in the college came together and decided that they ought to hold such a religious service every week. These services were to be addressed for the most part by the students themselves. A committee was selected and arrangements made. Every student who was asked to address that meeting had to have two characteristics—the one, a pure, noble life; the other, he had to be a man of plain speech. The only bar to an invitation to address that meeting was eloquence. If a man was known to have the "silver tongue" of speech he was compelled to keep a "golden silence." What was the result of these series of meetings, held Sunday in old Edinburgh by plain, unassuming and, in most cases, by "one talent" students? Not only did crowds of students weekly fill the hall, but scores and hundreds of young men were brought to confess Christ. The like of that religious influence had never before been seen in old Scotland, although Edinburgh had been blessed with pulpiteres whose names were famous all around the world.

Then the result of these meetings began to appear in the lives of one talent young men in batches of four and five were sent to other colleges and universities and also to villages and towns. These plain young men, by consecrated Christian lives, not only moved the hearts of young men in Scotland and all England, Wales and, to some extent, religiously influenced the whole world. Mark you, my brother, that religious influence was not started by a Jonathan Edwards or a Robert McChesney or a Frederick Robertson, but by plain, humble individuals who were consecrating their lives to Jesus Christ. If God can and did bless those modern Joshuas will he not bless us as individuals if we here and now consecrate our lives to his service and pray and plead and work? He will, my Christian brother. He will, he will. He will, even though we may be physically and mentally weaklings. He will if we will only trust in his power and his divine and omnipotent strength. God will bless the old as well as the young. Oh, how often in religious work I have heard this excuse given: "I believe that I ought to give myself up to religious work, but the trouble is I am too old. I have wasted the best part of my life. I am too old to start life over again." Some people may think you are right in your decision; I do not. Even now there may be a glorious time for you, oh, man, oh woman, if you will start in Christian work just at the present time. I do not believe it is too late for you to start to serve Jesus Christ; not too late even though for you the hour hand of the clock of time may be pointing to the twelfth hour and the crown hand to five minutes of 12 o'clock.

How old was Moses when he began to lead forth the children of Israel into the wilderness? Was he a young man? No. His hair must have been white. He had already passed his fiftieth birthday. He had already reached the eightieth milestone of life when he went forth to liberate the children of Israel from Egyptian slavery. How old was Joshua when the mantle of the dead Moses fell upon his shoulders? He had already passed his fourscore years and five. He was already pressing on toward his ninetieth milestone. So God has for you and me, if we only throw ourselves upon his mercy, a mission of Christian usefulness. He has it even though we may be old men and women. They who have no desire for "holiness" will find no delight in heaven.

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BRIGHTER TINTS WORN.

Yellow, Scarlets and Pinks Modish The Wide Collar and Cape Collars.

The wide collar is a boon to amateur dressmakers, for it covers up a multitude of sins.

Chiffons in quaint pompadour designs make up charmingly and are very useful for cool evenings.

The paraisol of the moment is most attractive, with its long handle a la Pompadour, very often encrusted with gems and its chine silk inserted with medallions of lace. The simplest paraisol of all has a plain silk cover with rows of ribbon woven in black on a light ground, in graduated widths and a long, plain-colored handle.

Foulard, the old fashioned fabric, has given way to voiles and a still softer

Walking Costume. make of silk. For dull days cloths trimmed with taffeta as well as firmer make of canvas and spotted voiles are greatly to the fore.

There is a growing tendency toward brighter tints, especially in a soft make of cloth. Scarlet still carries the day, and yellows, pinks and brilliant blues are all tremendously in request.

A wrinkle now resorted to by all the leading blouse specialists is a chiffon veil of silk underpins, not the costly and hot taffetas of heretofore, but good washing quality, the chiffon lending a soft appearance to any lace that may be inset, while it enhances to an immense extent the value of a muslin blouse.

The picture shows a walking costume of gray. The hat is of white with a scarlet feather.

JUDIC CHOLLET. MILLINERY MODES. The indispensable French Sailor. Some Dressy Hats.

The French sailor is indispensable to the smart woman's wardrobe. The prettiest this year is of rough yellow straw trimmed simply with a wreath of foliage or velvet bands.

Hats of euru straw are often simply trimmed with an application of coarse lace with ends hanging on one side.

The new tailor made hat tilts up in front and fits closely at the back and sides. It is trimmed only with loops and knots of ribbon.

For dressy wear nothing can equal a hat of white tulle trimmed with a single ostrich plume, although rough straw also looks well for the same purpose.

The ever useful toque of black straw is relieved by the pompon or egret

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Advertisement for Melchers Gin Distillery, featuring 'RED CROSS' Canadian Gin. Text includes: 'The Melchers Gin Distillery, Barterville, P.O.', 'Where Melchers RED CROSS Canadian Gin is distilled and Matured for years in Bonded Warehouses controlled by the Government.', 'Melchers "Red Cross" is the Only Pure Gin having its age guaranteed on every bottle by a Government stamp.', 'BOTTLED BY WILSON & CO., Distributing Agents, MONTREAL, Canada.'

Advertisement for Baby's Own Tablets, featuring an illustration of a baby. Text includes: 'CAUSED BY THE HEAT. A Rash on Baby's Skin That Often Alarms Careful Mothers.', 'During the summer months a rash often appears on the face, neck and body of babies and small children which is liable to alarm the mother. It is due to the excessive heat, and, while not dangerous, is the cause of much suffering. Immediate relief is given by dusting the eruption liberally with Baby's Own Powder, which may be had at any druggist's, but to cure the trouble a medicine must be given that will cool the blood of the little sufferer. Baby's Own Tablets will be found a positive blessing in such cases and will soon restore the clearness and beauty of baby's skin.', 'Mrs. Clifton Cuyler, of Kincardine, Ont., says: "My baby had a rash break out on her face and over her body. I gave her medicine, but it never left her until I gave her Baby's Own Tablets, and after using them a short time the rash entirely disappeared. I have also given her the Tablets for constipation with the best of results; they act gently, but promptly, and always make baby quiet and restful. I think the Tablets a splendid medicine for young children." Baby's Own Tablets may be had from all druggists at 25 cents per box, and Baby's Own Powder at the same price. If you prefer to order direct they will be sent post paid on receipt of price by the Dr. Williams' Medicine Company, Brockville, Ont.'

Advertisement for Munyorlitness, featuring an illustration of a woman's face. Text includes: 'Munyorlitness. GEO. BARREAU HE WAS CURED. "I had the fingers of Rheumatism last fall, noticed it in my knee, and it went all through my body, knees were swollen up like, and red, as if filled with fire. I secured two vials of Munyorlitness Cure, and the swelling went down in my feet, so that my wife could put on shoes for me. I take a dose of once in 4 while simply as a precaution. The pains have all gone and not returned since I first starting them." Mr. George B., 13 Nicholas street, Ottawa.', 'If you are sick with indigestion, if you are bilious, if your liver or blood is out of order, if you have any kidney disease, if you have any ailment, take Munyorlitness for "Munyorlitness Guide to Health" is free and will tell you how to yourself for \$20, Thousands testimonials. 31B', 'Women always to a pet idea until it is worn to a point so fine it cannot be seen.', 'Monkey Brand Removes all stains, rust, dirt or tar—but won't wash clothes.', 'Force of character often is more pronounced in what is done than in what is said.', 'THE GIBSON PICTURES AT THE GIBSON STUDIO. Cor. King and Fifth Sts. CHATHAM.', 'JUDIC CHOLLET.'

Surprising Skill of Arm

After the Loss of These Two Important Men Have Been Known to Develop Swimmers, Anglers, Pennmen and Even

In Uncle Sam's vast army of hired helpers in Washington there were until lately four armless men—S. H. Decker, Thomas Dennis, W. B. Denny and L. A. Neur—each of whom is happy and prosperous.

Until within the last few months for fifteen years correspondents of the leading newspapers have daily met in the House Press Gallery S. H. Decker, who was employed there as a door-keeper and messenger. Notwithstanding the fact that Mr. Decker has both arms off, with the use of tweezers hooked to the stumps of his arm he was able to perform almost any duty required of him.

Decker lost his arms by a premature discharge of artillery at Perryville, Ky. The first thing he did was to try to find some artificial means of providing hands, but did not succeed until he got his own brain to work and devised a pair of tweezers, which he declares are the greatest invention of the age. The tweezers are used on the stub of the right arm and a hook on the other, the latter being used to lift or turn articles.

Uncle Sam gave Decker a good pension, but during President Grant's administration the maimed soldier failed to get his pension money for about six months. He was at his home in Toledo, and received the information that his name had been dropped from the roll, and that he was not entitled to a pension. Proceeding to Washington, Decker went to the Pension Office and demanded to know why he had been dropped. An examining surgeon almost paralyzed him by informing him that no man without arms could write his name, and that there was fraud somewhere. Mr. Decker was so astonished and angry at this declaration that he asked for a pen and ink, and proceeded to show the surgeon some pretty penmanship. "I can not only write," Mr. Decker said to him, "I am yet able to do some right lively right now that unless my name is restored to the roll and my money paid over pretty quick I will send you to the hospital for repairs." He got his back pension, and there has never been any further trouble along this line.

A SKILL
With a little of his book, Mr. Decker dealt of his time on fishing, and he is known best fishermen are. One day recently he had a string of perch six feet, and it is among the fishermen any fish in the river. Although Decker is a fine swimmer, at he can stay as long as any other man.

Thomas Denny the four armless months ago was a water Department at when a young man he came to the United States on duty on the coast of Africa, which caused his arms. Dennis was at Gibraltar, and to the American vessel he visited, and sing the ship a salute of honor. Dennis had firm and was running charge home, when the mature discharge, coming off the young seaman's hand, did not leave the injured man was cared he had made an offer sent ashore, begging of de-fraying all expd there-Of course was declined, but a afterwards Dennis was sent hospital, and then it was had the most skilled nurses employed and sons that every attention given the injured seaman was able to travel and him from city to other arms made for him times and places. After his return- ed to the United States Dennis had advance sent him regularly. Prince's death it was an annuity of \$80 had been Dennis in the will. These each year. "In spite of fortune," said Dennis "I am a handy man, to a great many things of the tweezers invented Decker, these are worth a trainload of hand hands, and I only know Prince Demidoff gavelly because they came from my young fellow."

time to raising blood horses.
L. A. Neur, a guide in the Government Printing Office at Washington, for years lived in Chicago, in which city he had the misfortune to have both arms crushed off by a railroad engine while he was in the employ of the Armour's as barber and hair dresser. When not on duty in the office or selling life insurance, Neur takes part in outdoor exercises and sports. He often takes long swims in the Potomac. In winter he can be found on the basin with the skaters. Dancing is a recreation in which he takes great delight, and he is regarded as one of the most graceful dancers in Washington. Neur tried false hands and cast them aside. There are few signatures on the payroll of the office more legible than Neur's, and it is written with a pen held between his teeth. He has an invention of his own which he straps to the stub of his right arm when he wishes to write a long letter.

GIRL SLEPT FIVE DAYS

Scranton, Pa., Aug. 20.—Miss Etta Peer, of Meridia, street, Scranton, went to sleep one night and defied all the efforts of alarm bells, doctors and electric batteries to awake her until five days later. Dr. Winebrake applied an electric battery, but only succeeded in restoring her to semi-consciousness, after which she lapsed into a heavy stupor. On the fifth morning Miss Peer woke up and greeted her relatives. She laughed when they told her she had been asleep for nearly a week, and thought they were joking. Miss Peer is about to-day as cheerful as ever.

DOG'S FAITHFUL VIGIL

New York, Aug. 20.—Over the lifeless body of Miss Claudine Virginia Mortimer, a little pet spaniel known as Wanda maintained devoted vigil for more than two days in the apartments of his mistress in this city. Only yesterday, when Miss Anna Hatiman, an intimate friend of the deceased woman, entered by means of a duplicate key, was the death of his mistress discovered. Wanda bravely guarded the lifeless form when Surgeon Krauskopf, of the Harlem Hospital, came. It was necessary to chloroform the dog before the body could be removed.

CONTRAST

If all we heard was music,
Our ears would surely balk;
We'd gladly pause to listen
To ordinary talk.

If life was but a poem,
It surely would disclose
Occasions when we'd hunger
For ordinary prose.

The world would grow awfully
Of laughter year by year—
The garden of enjoyment
Must be watered by a tear.

then;
We found a heaven in every spot;
Saw angels, too, in all good men,
And dreamt of gods in grove and grot.

In summer when the days were long,
Alone I wander, mused alone;
I see her not, but that old song
Under the fragrant wind is blown,
In summer when the days were long.

Alone I wander in the wood,
But one fair spirit hears my sighs;
And half I see the crimson hood,
The radiant hair, the calm, glad eyes,
That charm'd me in life's summer mood.

In summer, when the days are long
I love her as I loved of old;
My heart is light, my step is strong,
For love brings back those hours of gold,
In summer, when the days are long.

SONG

The sky may bend above you
All beautiful with blue,
But if no heart shall love you
The sky is dark to you!

The wild rose may caress you
And crimson o'er the dew;
But with no love to bless you,
The rose is dead to you.

Sing sweet for love and living,
Whatever fate's in view;
Love—merciful—forgiving,
Makes life forever new.

A STRIKING EVENING GOWN.



This little lawn evening dress is a splendid pattern to follow in making up your dressy clothes for the summer. A novel idea of the lace arrangement is worthy of consideration.



Sudden drops of temperature are impossible in the home heated by hot water. Stove fires die out, hot air furnaces heat unevenly, and the hot air switches to other parts of the house leaving the remaining rooms cold and drafty. But with the heating system of the

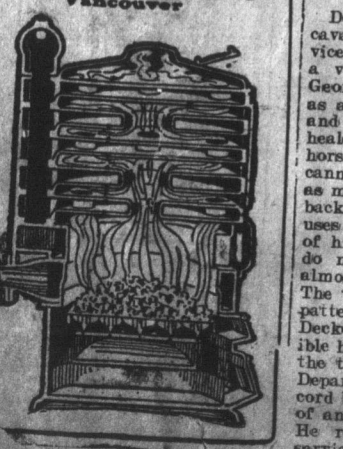
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A DRIVER OLD HORSES.

W. B. Denny, watchman in the War Dept. Washington, although his arms are off at the elbow, master and drive the most horses, and has never had a befall him while handling ice resigning from the War Dept. Denny has devoted his entire raising and training blooded and some of the "blue ribbs" which are daily seen on stable drives of the American from his stables. He has confidence in his ability to handle the most vicious and frothy outset that he is the mass.

No one who witnessed the achievements of in managing horses at his own can for a moment imaginatively and successfully he cope a spirited animal. He first had the horse, and he drives a double team which ease as a single horse—arrly harnessed, that every strap buckle is at its proper place; then he places one rein right shoulder and the other his left arm, the two reins made fast with a strong buckle, his arm stubs he is able to grip animals. The weight of his right shoulder brings the reins a slow-up if they get fretfuling his shoulders and body side to side will cause the bit in the mouths of the horses untily are glad to quiet down and are quiet along. He depargely, too, on controlling spir horses by speaking gently but ly to them.

Last spring spt the owners of fast stepping hamster of races at the Bright track, Denny's home, and in of these contests he had a team led in a trotting race. It was Denny's intention to drive the himself, but the young man who he drove his team showed th was not capable of handling them, and made a number of uprears during the race up. Denny, irritated, ordered the young man out of the rig, jumped in self, adjusted the reins in a twink, and succeeded in getting a fair fight with the others and in winning race with ease.

A FEARLESS HORSEMAN.

Denny was in his younger days a cavalryman in United States service, and lost his arms while firing a volley over a body of General George H. Thompson. He was known as a fearless man in the cavalry, and no sooner the torn-off arms healed than th desire to handle horses returned, although he cannot harness animals, he is just as much at home as ever on a horse's back or holding the reins. Denny uses a pair of tweezers on the stub of his left arm, and with it he can do many things which would seem almost impossible to an armless man. The tweezers are the same make and pattern as those used by Dennis and Decker. Denny writes a good legible hand by holding the pen with the tweezers, and while at the War Department in Washington his record book was neatly kept as those of any of the hundreds of employes. He resigned from the Government service in order to give his entire

BEAR HUNT

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We made our way back to the bear and found him alone dead. My first shot had been a little too high and had just stunned him for the time. He was a magnificent silver-tip and would have tipped the scales at one thousand pounds if an ounce. We skinned him and got to camp at ten o'clock, tired and hungry, yet as proud as I ever expect to be. Bert and George had killed two more that day. As we had the place pretty well hunted we decided to move up in the mountains to hunt mountain sheep and goats. We spent three months, and returned to September 3rd, just four months and one day from the time we started out; and I always look back to those four months as the most enjoyable I ever spent—with the exception of the hour in the tree.

RALPH DIXON.

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Those who know when to speak also know when to be silent.

IN SUMMER TIME

In summer, when the days were long
We walked, two friends, in field and wood;
Our heart was light, our step was strong,
And life lay round us, fair and good,
In summer when the days were long.

We stray'd from morn till evening fame,
We gathered flowers and wove us crowns;
We walk'd mid poppies red as flame,
Or sat upon the yellow downs,
And always wished our life the same.

In summer when the days were long,
We leapt'd the hedges, cross'd the brook;
And still her voice flowed forth in song,
Or else she'd read some graceful book,
In summer when the days were long.

And when we sat beneath the trees,
With shadows lessening in the noon;
And in the sunlight and the breeze
We revelled many a glorious June
While larks were singing o'er the leas.

In summer when the days were long,
We pluck'd wild strawberries ripe and red,
Or feasted, with no grace but song,
On golden nectar, snow-white bread,
In summer when the days were long.

REST SEASON

Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets Give The Stomach a Holiday and Make It Ready for its Work again.

Every man or woman tries during the summer to get a week or two of complete rest. They need it, and when they get it returns to their work refreshed and invigorated. On the same principle the stomach needs a vacation. Give it one by using Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets. They will digest the food while the stomach rests. The result will be good digestion and renewed vigor all over the body.

Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets working on this principle never fail to cure stomach ailments. They cure Indigestion or Dyspepsia of any stage. The proof is found in the statements of those who have used them and been cured. Mr. H. Bailey, of 206 Patrick street, Winnipeg, is one of these. Mr. Bailey says:

"It gives me pleasure to tell of the benefit I have received from the use of Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets. I have gained eight pounds in weight since I commenced to use them. Before that no matter what I ate I never seemed to gain strength or put on weight. I heartily recommend Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets."

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The Days of Auld Lang Syne

Interesting Events of Ye Olden Times Gathered from The Planet's Issues of Half a Century Ago.

From The Planet files August 5th, 1856, to August 20th, 1856.

The ladies of the Wesleyan Church hold a bazaar.

The United States starts the issue of small copper cent.

The the wife of Andrew Aubrey, a daughter, on August 11.

A hundred village lots are advertised for sale in Ridgetown.

The Grammar school re-opens at the the summer vacation, on August 11.

J & W. Northwood advertise for 20,000 bushels of barley, wanted immediately.

The body of George Peoples, drowned at Oakville, is brought to this city for burial.

A Chatham wife presents her husband with four bouncing babies, two boys and two girls.

Four companies of the London Fire Department disbanded on account of a quarrel with the corporation.

There was born in this town on Thursday night, Aug. 7, to the wife of Captain Thos. Glendinning, a son.

An island with 90,000 acres is discovered in Lake Huron; is surveyed and offered for sale in convenient lots.

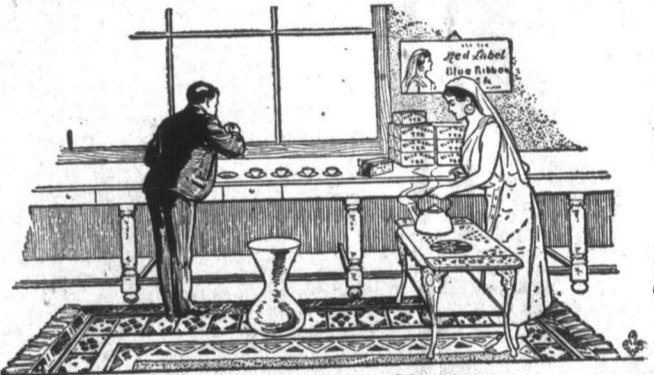
The Town Council is composed of Mayor McCrae, Dr. Cross, and Messrs. Charteris, McKellar, Eberts, Ireland and Smith.

The first of August, Emancipation Day, is celebrated here with great eclat by the many colored residents of the town. Everything went off like a charm.

The town of Morpeth holds a public meeting in reference to the passing through that place of the St. Thomas-Amherstburg railway. Dr. Rolla, Reeve of the Township of Howard, and Colonel Duck, of Morpeth, were appointed to interview the directors of the company to have a station built at Morpeth.

A game of cricket between the Rondeau and Morpeth Clubs came off at Blenheim on Saturday, Aug. 16. John Goodyear and Mr. Davis were the umpires. The result was a win for Rondeau by a score of 222 to 168, two innings. A banquet was afterward held at John Sheldon's hotel.

The Kent County meeting was held on Saturday, August 9, regarding the election. Warden James Smith was appointed chairman, and John Dolmage secretary. A. McKellar, Dr. Cross and Geo. Young made speeches. Dr. Cross moved, seconded by Chas. Davis, that Col. Prince is a fit and proper person to represent Kent and Essex. Mr. Northwood moved an amendment, which was seconded by A. Knapp, that Messrs. Prince, Rankin, Boulton and Dougall be called upon to give their views to the audience. All but Col. Prince expressed themselves as not being candidates. About 400 attended the meeting.



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